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1991: Changes, cuts and decisions

Last week, the *Townsmen* reviewed the first six months of 1991. This week, the paper finishes with a review of July through December, 1991.

July

Anthony Covino, assistant principal at West Middle School, filed a grievance with the superintendent of schools, claiming the process that eliminated him from the pool of semi-finalists for the principalship of Andover High School violated Massachusetts open meeting laws.

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Police Lt. Mooers quits Cites 'personal' reasons

By Don Staruk

Lt. Donald G. Mooers Jr., a division commander at the Andover police department, retired without advance notice on Tuesday, Dec. 17, after 23 years with the department.

The reasons for Lt. Mooers' sudden departure were "personal," according to Chief James Johnson.

"He said he wanted to pursue his career and the best way to do it was to leave," the chief said. "He's trying to pursue another job. He wants to be a chief somewhere."

The chief said Lt. Mooers, 51, interviewed for four or five positions in the last year, and that he had been a finalist for a chief's job in Wakefield and some place in Ohio.

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Dr. McGrail dies at 62

Dr. Richard F. McGrail, 62, of Shipman Road, died Tuesday, Dec. 24, at Lawrence General Hospital.

He was a principal in the Andover public school system for 22 years, first at the former East Junior High School and then at the Doherty Middle School.

Kenneth Seifert, former superintendent of schools in Andover, remembered

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Photo by Matthew Sapienza

Friday, Dec. 27, the day the *Andover Townsman* moved into its new quarters at 33 Chestnut St., the builder and his sons posed for a photo. From left they are, Richard, Carl and Mike Fitzgerald of Carl Fitzgerald Inc. of Andover. Harmon J. "Skip" Kiley, of the North Reading firm Hermit Woods Designs, was the architect. The paper will announce open houses when it is comfortably settled in its new quarters. Meanwhile, it's business as usual, at a new address!

FinCom recommends: Use \$1.2M annually for town, school buildings

By Lisa Boudreau

The Finance Committee has recommended that the town manager build at least \$1.2 million annually into the town budget to address capital improvement needs in the town's and schools' buildings. But the School Committee is reluctant to agree to use all of what it gets in capital improvement money for buildings because members believe they may need some of it for other school needs.

"Even with that money (at least 60 percent of the town maintenance budget is traditionally allocated for the schools' maintenance budget), it will mean a \$700,000 cut in the schools' budget if we are level funded next year," said Mark McQuillan

**School Committee
says it may need
some of its building
improvement funds
for other school bud-
get needs.**

superintendent of schools.

Dick Hubbell, a member of the School Committee, said at the committee's last meeting, Monday, Dec. 23, that he would like to see the committee wait for the superintendent's budget projections for next year

before it commits to spending its portion of the capital improvement money.

According to Dr. McQuillan, Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski had originally suggested only \$900,000 be spent townwide on capital improvements.

"For the past five or 10 years, money we've invested in capital improvements hasn't increased and in real money that means we've spent less each year because of inflation," said Donald Robb, chairman of the FinCom.

"The money we've spent on employee benefits, health insurance and retirement have all gone up," he said.

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Club plans cross-country skiing or hiking outing Jan. 5

The Andover Appalachian Mountain Club offers a cross country skiing or hiking event, depending on snow conditions, planned for people of all ages on Sunday, Jan. 5.

The event will take place in the Harold Parker State Forest beginning at forest headquar-

ters.

From Route 125 in Andover, take Salem Street, at the Texaco station, south for two miles to headquarters.

Meet at 1:30 p.m.

Call leaders Ann Fay or Rob Michaels of Andover for information, 470-1734.

Town plans health clinics for seniors

Here is a listing of Andover's health department health clinics in January: Tuesday, Jan. 14, 2 to 4 p.m., Stowe Court. Monday, Jan. 13, 1 to 3 p.m., Andover

Commons. Monday, Jan. 27, 1 to 3 p.m., Frye Circle. Senior Center clinics, 2 to 3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29; no appointment necessary.

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Andover held a large July 4 celebration, complete with fireworks, a horribles parade and a breakfast in The Park.

Town employees attended a reception for three retiring employees: Barbara Botsch, data processing manager; Barbara Gaunt, secretary to the town manager; and Mary Hamilton, public health nurse.

Some Andover residents were busy working for Habitat For Humanity, volunteering labor to build a house in Lawrence for those who ordinarily couldn't afford one.

The School Committee began to seek tuition students for Andover High School.

The School Committee named Tim Thomas the new principal of Andover High School. Also named new principals are Samuel Campbell of Virginia, for West Middle School; and Debra Dunn of Chelmsford, for Bancroft Elementary School.

The School Committee named Chris Outwin its chairman.

The Andover Association was rallying to market the downtown in light of the Rockingham Mall soon opening in New Hampshire.

The FBI arrested Peter J. Regan, 49, of Salem St., and charged him with embezzlement of funds from Shawmut Bank in Boston. Mr. Regan was a senior vice president of Shawmut Bank's loan division.

A group of tutors and teachers from Phillips Academy and the Lawrence public school system joined forces for its third summer of PALS, a working partnership between the academy and Leonard Middle School in Lawrence. The four-week session of tutoring is for grades six, seven and eight.

Officials of the Addison Gallery of American Art at Phillips Academy won a highly publicized censorship battle with the director of the National Museum of American Art in Washington, D.C. That director originally excluded a series of 10 photographs of a nude female in an exhibit of 170 works of art put together by Jock Reynolds, director of the Addison, and James Sheldon, curator of photography at the Addison. When the D.C. gallery said it would exclude some of the works, the Addison asked that the entire exhibit be shipped back to PA. The National Museum of American Art then agreed to show the exhibit in its entirety.

The selectmen approved a change to traffic flows in Elm Square to improve pedestrian safety.

August

Linda Murdock, a 36-year-old Lawrence resident, talked with the *Townsmen* about her battle with AIDS. She began attending a support group in Andover at Christ Church for herself, but now believes she's emotionally strong enough to help others. She said



Photo by Matthew Sapientza

Chris Goggin gets the easy end of the float as he and his brother, David, entered the July Fourth Horribles Parade. Because of the Gulf war, a new wave of patriotism swept across the town and the annual Horribles Parade in July gave people another chance to wave their flags.

the life she lead before her diagnosis was full of risks. She left home and began taking drugs at the age of 11.

Five years ago she was arrested on drug charges and was given the choice to go to jail or try Youth Challenge, a Christian program in Virginia for anyone interested in becoming a Christian. She chose Youth Challenge and there, she said, she found God. Nine months before she learned she had the AIDS virus she straightened out her life and got off drugs. The doctor told her she had four years to live and that was five years ago.

Dwight Davis, 43, of Oriole Drive, and his flight instructor took a *Townsmen* reporter and photographer for a one-hour plane ride above the Merrimack Valley.

Former state Rep. Susan Tucker of Andover won a small victory in the battle she waged at the Statehouse for women's rights. A bill she wrote and sponsored became law. It was hailed as one of the nation's most comprehensive laws protecting women against domestic violence.

Parents of children affected by bus fees implemented by the School Committee grew anxious about their children traveling busy roads and crossing intersections. Patti Morando, 55 Prospect St., was worried that her children would have to cross Route 125 to get to Bancroft Elementary School.

The Zoning Board of Appeals, in an unofficial vote, approved a use variance for two lots on Frontage Road that will allow Vicor Corp. to expand.

The *Townsmen's* series on active

senior citizens in town continued with profiles on 60-plus-year-old residents who still enjoy hiking, biking and traveling.

The School Committee shot down member Susan Poore's motion to rescind busing fees.

Two men, who have put their careers on hold to become househusbands, were profiled in the *Townsmen*. Bill Pennington, 46 Clark Road, stays at home with 18-month-old Gregory while his wife, Brooke, whose job at Mast Industries in West Andover takes her to the Orient for three weeks at a time, supports the family.

Peter Allan, 32 Canterbury Road, stays home with his 5-year-old son, Jonathan, and 2-year-old twin sons, Nicholas and Zachary, while his wife, Kathleen, a certified public accountant and director of financial systems for Millipore Corp. in Bedford, supports the family.

May Kelvie Lyman, 65 Carmel Road, former personnel director of the town, and Raymond Scheer, 12 Copley Drive, entered the six-candidate campaign for the one vacant seat on the School Committee.

High winds and heavy rains from Hurricane Bob flooded streets and cellars in town and caused nearly \$100,000 worth of property damage in town.

The coup in the Soviet Union that almost toppled President Mikhail Gorbachev raised the spirits of Lilia Kandel for a short time. When Ms. Kandel learned that the coup failed she was worried her homeland would reverse its move toward Democracy.

Candidates for the one open seat on the School Committee remained split on the school bus fees.

Latvian-American Akselis Mangulis, 70, and other members of

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TOWNTALK

Diane and Jack Rutkowski, 9 Ellsworth Road, have entered their white, 1969 Corvette in an international car show that will be held in Boston this week. There are 200 events at the 18th Annual Budweiser World of Wheels, which will be held at the Bay Side Exposition Center in Boston from Friday, Jan. 3, to Sunday, Jan. 5, and the Rutkowskis have a chance to share some of the \$750,000 worth of prizes.

The Rutkowskis are members of the North Shore Corvette Club and car restoration has been a passion of Mr. Rutkowski since he was a teen-ager in Chicago.

"I used to open up a gas station at 6 a.m. and then hop

on the school bus at 8. I'd be back at 2:30 p.m. and be there to close it at night. I've always been interested in cars," he said.

Mr. Rutkowski and his wife bought their Corvette three years ago. Mr. Rutkowski said the '69 Corvette was in "better-than-average shape" but that he and his wife have done some work on it.

"I do the mechanical work and my wife does the interior work," he said.

The couples' two children, Jon, 21, and Julie, 20, also drive customized cars. He has a '79 Camaro and she has an '87 Camaro with a 5.7 liter Corvette engine.

NEWS CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JAN. 2

Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 p.m., monthly public hearings, second floor, Memorial Hall Library.

SATURDAY, JAN. 4

Zoning Board of Appeals, approximately 9 a.m., deliberations on Jan. 2 hearings; approximately 9:30 a.m., deliberations for Mobil Oil petition for signs on Lowell Street, lower level, Memorial Hall Library.

MONDAY, JAN. 6

Board of Selectmen, 7:30 p.m., third floor, town offices.

TUESDAY, JAN. 7

School Committee, 6:30 p.m., executive session to discuss union contracts.

School redistricting public hearing with the School Committee, 7:30 p.m., Doherty Middle School auditorium.

Planning Board, 7 p.m., discussion on proposed zoning bylaw amendments for Town Meeting, second floor, town offices.

Water Conservation Commission, 7:30 p.m., water treatment plant, Lowell Street.

Trustees of Memorial Hall Library, 7:30 p.m., library confer-

ence room.

Conservation Commission, 7:45 p.m., third floor, town offices.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8

Finance Committee, 7:30 p.m., second floor, town offices.

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

North East Solid Waste Committee financial affairs subcommittee, 12:30 p.m.; executive committee, 1:30 p.m., Lexington Town Hall.

School Committee, 6:30 p.m., executive session to discuss union contracts, second floor, school administration building.

Power blink hits here

Several Andover businesses were affected by a brief power loss Monday morning when Massachusetts Electric workers made repairs to a transmission line in a right-of-way just over the Andover line in Tewksbury.

A cross arm on a transmission line tower broke. When workers switched the power to another circuit, so they could repair the tower, it caused a momentary loss of the power.

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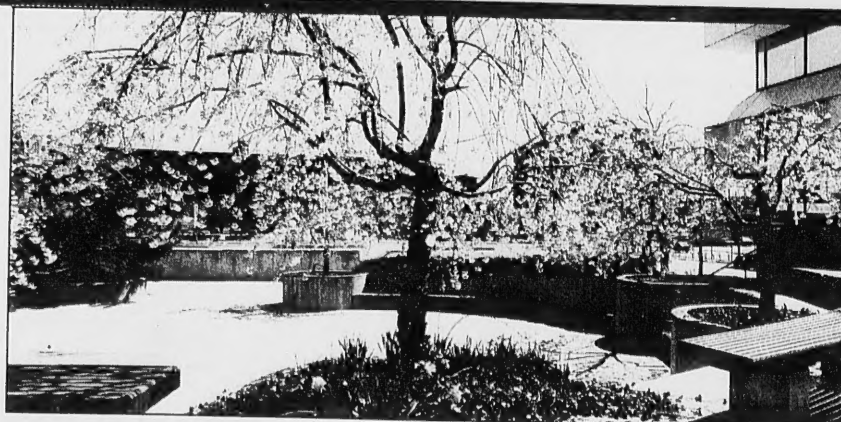
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POLICE LOG

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ARRESTS

Monday, Dec. 23 - At 3:15 a.m., Carlos Gonzales, 18, of 66 Melvin St., Lawrence, was arrested on River Road and charged with operating after suspension of his license, operating defective equipment, on a Peabody warrant for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and on a Lowell warrant for operating unlicensed.

Maria R. Tirado, 24, of 1 Florence St., Lawrence, was arrested with Mr. Gonzales and charged on a Lowell warrant for possession of a class A substance (heroin) with intent to distribute.

Thursday, Dec. 26 - At 1:24 a.m., David P. Sarsfield, 21, of 600 South St., Tewksbury, was arrested near 250 S. Main St. and charged with operating under the influence (liquor), operating without an inspection sticker and failure to keep right.

At 6:09 p.m., Benjamin W. Locke, 17, of 12 Heather Drive, was arrested at his home and charged with violation of a 209A restraining order.

ACCIDENTS

Monday, Dec. 23 - At 5:08 p.m., a minor accident was reported on Frontage Road.

Tuesday, Dec. 24 - At 4:36 a.m., a car hit a tree on Woburn Street.

Thursday, Dec. 26 - at 12:35 p.m., a minor accident was reported near 125 Salem St.

At 9:45 p.m., Patrolman John Pathiakos reported damage to his cruiser on River Road.

Sunday, Dec. 29 - At 2:12 a.m., minor injuries were reported in a roll-over accident on Route 125.

At 7:45 p.m., a two-car accident was reported on North Main Street.

At 10:03 a.m., an accident was reported on Dascomb Road.

BREAKS

Monday, Dec. 23 - At 5:48 a.m., Patrolman Dennis Lane responded to an alarm at the Ninety-

Nine Restaurant, on Lowell Street, and observed a white van, with two long-haired persons in it and bearing New Hampshire plates, leave the restaurant lot. He chased the van on Route 133 into Lowell where he lost it. Police found the restaurant had been broken into and the thieves had attempted to steal a safe.

At 11:09 a.m., a car break was reported on Mary Lou Lane.

At 2:25 p.m., a car break was reported on Gradeall Lane, off Essex Street.

Wednesday, Dec. 25 - At 11:16 a.m., a car break was reported on Colonial Drive.

Friday, Dec. 27 - At 2:43 p.m., a car break was reported on Colonial Drive.

Saturday, Dec. 28 - At 11:47 p.m., a car break was reported on North Main Street.

Sunday, Dec. 29 - At 2:47 a.m., a car break was reported after an Osgood Street resident said two males tried to steal his sister's car and he chased them on foot.

At 2:15 p.m., a car break was reported on North Main Street.

THEFTS

Thursday, Dec. 26 - At 4:19 p.m., a woman reported her checkbook and driver's license missing while at the Andover Jade Restaurant in Shawsheen Plaza.

VANDALISM

Thursday, Dec. 26 - At 12:45 p.m., a business in Old Andover Village reported a coat slashed.

At 11:23 p.m., a Lovejoy Road woman reported someone threw an egg at her house.

Friday, Dec. 27 - At 7:59 a.m., damage to a car was reported on Beacon Street.

At 12:36 p.m., a Reservation Road resident reported her house egged.

CAR THEFTS

Wednesday, Dec. 25 - At 10:48 a.m., an attempted car theft was reported on Colonial Drive.

At 11:25 a.m., another attempted car theft was reported on

Colonial Drive.

Saturday, Dec. 28 - At 10:42 a.m., a car was reported taken overnight on Haverhill Street.

At 11:01 p.m., an attempted theft of a bus was discovered on Gradeall Lane after the vehicle's horn was reported blaring.

INCIDENTS

Monday, Dec. 23 - At 5:53 p.m., a 25-year-old Andover man was placed in protective custody for alleged drunkenness on Haverhill Street.

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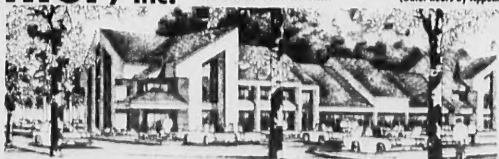
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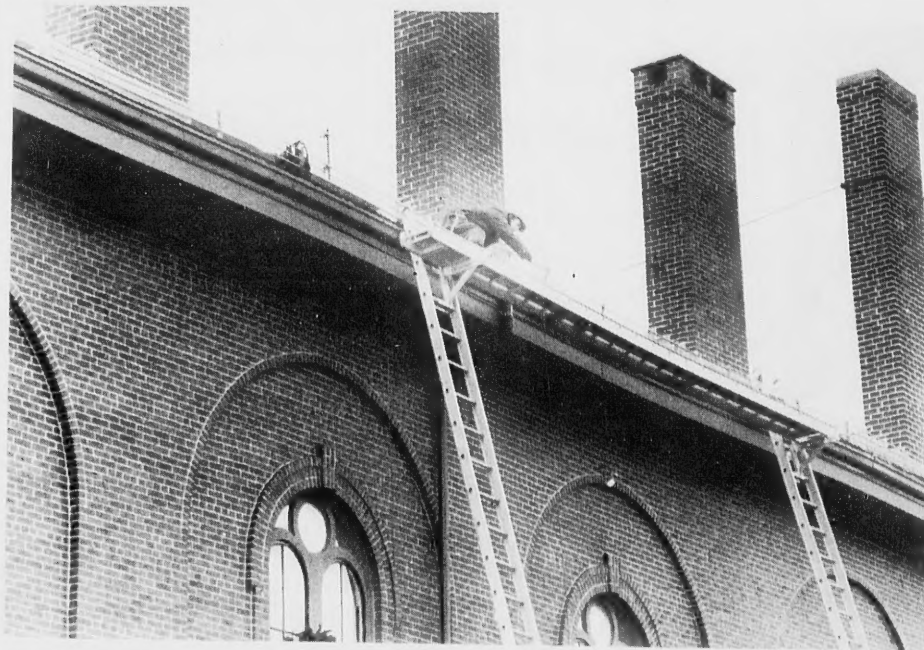


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Rick Foster of John Pettis and Sons of Haverhill works on the roof at Old Town Hall on Main Street. An "ice wire" was installed to avoid a build-up of snow and ice, which in the past has fallen off the roof and damaged vehicles, causing town officials to rope off the parking there.

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POLICE LOG

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At 6:24 p.m., a person was reported hit by a thrown bottle during a fight at the Marriott Hotel on Old River Road. One person was taken to Lawrence General Hospital for treatment.

Tuesday, Dec. 24 - At 9:54 a.m., a Windemere Way resident reported her two-year-old's head was stuck between the rungs on a stairs. The fire department freed the toddler.

Wednesday, Dec. 25 - At 7:01 p.m., a Central Street resident reported a five-year-old had ingested battery acid. The child got battery acid on his finger from a battery in a toy and stuck his fin-

ger in his mouth. He had a small irritation from the acid, according to fire officials.

Thursday, Dec. 26 - At 7:30 p.m., the son of a 30 Railroad Street resident

reported his mother had fallen and hurt herself inside her apartment and couldn't get to the door to open it. The fire department had to break down the door. Helen Francis, 74, was taken to

Lawrence General Hospital complaining of pain in her left leg and hip, according to a fire official.

Friday, Dec. 27 - At 2:57 p.m., an assault was reported on Colonial Drive.

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ENTERTAINMENT



Square and contra dancers who had a good time kicking up their heels on New Year's Eve can do it again Friday, Jan. 17, from 8 to 11 p.m. at Old Town Hall.

'Dinosaur Show' coming to Andover

The Poobley Greegy Puppet Theater presents "The Dinosaur Show" at West Middle School auditorium, Shawsheen Road, on Saturday, Jan. 11, at 1 p.m. for the third event in Kaleidoscope's winter performance series for children.

Stephen and Janice Babcock, professional puppeteers and former teachers, use shadow, rod and hand puppets to tell a story. Brontosaurus and Tyran-

nosaurus are two of the prehistoric characters in the show, designed for children ages 5 and up and their families.

Tickets are \$7 and may be reserved in advance by calling 475-1422, or may be purchased at the door on the day of the event.

Kaleidoscope is a non-profit enrichment program that offers this series in cooperation with the Department of Community Services.

Auditions are for Superstar

The Metropolis Theatre Company announces auditions for its Easter production of *Jesus Christ Superstar* on Monday and Tuesday nights, Jan. 6 and 7, at 6:30 each night at West Elementary School on Beacon Street.

The auditions will take place in the auditorium and the school should be entered from the rear of the building.

Males and females of all ages are encouraged to attend. A minimum age of 14 will be observed.

Interested individuals will be asked to perform a vocal audition. An accompanist will be provided.

Dress should be appropriate for dance activities. The group is also seeking individuals to assist

in the technical part of the production.

All those interested in the technical part should also plan to attend the auditions.

Experience is not necessary, just a desire to be involved in theater and a willingness to learn.

The actual production is planned for Palm Sunday weekend.

For further information contact Craig Faulkner at 663-3356, or the director, James Giretti, at 851-5069.

Metropolis Theatre Company is Andover-based and produces Broadway-cabaret theater.

Drama ministry forming

An organizational meeting for Abba Christian Theatre will be held Monday, Jan. 6, 7-9 p.m., Haverhill Public Library. The public is invited. Call Teri Sheldon, 437-1141, for further information.

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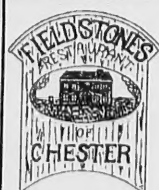
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Expert on water gardens to speak here

The Andover Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, Jan. 7, at the Unitarian Universalist Church on Locke Street, beginning promptly at 12:30 p.m.

"The Evolution of a Water Garden" will be presented by Andover resident Diane Butler, guest speaker. Ms. Butler's talk and slide presentation will detail the construction and landscaping of a garden pond on her property.

The plan, work and photography were done by the speaker and her husband, Fred J. Butler Jr. Native New England trees, shrubs and wild flowers were used in the planting

plan, and as part of her presentation, she will discuss water lilies and other aquatics for pond or tub gardens. Ms. Butler has a great interest in iris of all varieties, and has received awards for photographs of the iris growing in her garden. She has extensive knowledge of resources for anyone interested in establishing her or his own water garden.

Ms. Butler was a member of the Four Seasons Garden Club in Andover and served two terms as its president. She is a member of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, the New England Wild Flower Society, the American and the Mas-

sachusetts Iris Society and the Arnold Arboretum.

She currently is volunteering for the Massachusetts Horticulture Society's Garden Line answering gardeners' questions.

Claire Syiek will serve as chairwoman for the meeting. Frances James will create the tea table design, and Laura Donner and Jan Johnson will serve as hostesses. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

Non-members of the club who wish to attend should contact Edith King at 475-7596.

Lecture is on American paintings

"Three Centuries of American Painting" will be the subject of a slide lecture series sponsored in the Merrimack Valley by the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. On Tuesday, Jan. 7, and Tuesday, Jan. 14, Miriam Braverman, guest lecturer at the museum, will speak at 10 a.m. at South Church on Central Street.

She will discuss the museum's collection of American art, which ranges from patriot portraits by Cop-

ley and Stuart to contemporary art as represented in the collection by William and Sandra Lane, a recent gift to the museum.

The fee for each lecture is \$8 for museum members and \$10 for non-members and may be paid at the door.

Should a lecture be cancelled due to bad weather, it will be rescheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 21, at the same location and time.

Merrimack Valley Chorale plans auditions

The Greater Merrimack Valley Chorale, with Music Director David Tierney, is holding auditions for the spring '92 season at regularly scheduled rehearsals Wednesdays, Jan. 8, 15, 22 and 29, 7:30 p.m., Doherty Middle School on Bartlet Street.

The chorale performs primarily classical choral compositions. Interested singers are invited to join the group. For more information, call 688-2816.

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VNA HomeCare adds some new staff

VNA HomeCare Inc., a non-profit home care agency and subsidiary of the Home Health Foundation of 1 Union St., welcomes the following staff who have recently joined the agency:

Raquel Tayag joins the Data Processing Department as manager. Ms. Tayag supervises the department, which processes all referrals for home care services, is responsible for all problems related to data entry and oversees the computer system on which the department operates. Ms. Tayag has been with the VNA for the past two years and recently graduated from Merrimack College with a degree in business. She lives in North Andover.

Elisabeth Staten, psychiatric nurse, is responsible for psychiatric evaluation and

follow-up in the home. She was employed by Holy Family Hospital for 10 years where she worked in the medical, surgical and psychiatric units. She lives in Haverhill with her husband and three children.

Heather Correa joins the Visiting Nurse staff. She works with adult patients in Lawrence. She worked in Portland, Maine, at the Maine Medical Center and now lives in Marblehead.

Janet Greeley joins the Visiting Nurse staff. She works with adult patients in Methuen and southern New Hampshire. She worked in the emergency room at Holy Family Hospital and lives in Hampstead, N.H.

Carol Martin, maternal child health nurse, is responsible for maternal child

health, including infants at risk. She has 9 1/2 years of nursing experience. She recently moved to Wakefield from the Chicago area with her husband.

Beth Sayre-Scibona, social worker, joins the social work department and is responsible for assisting patients with emotional and social adjustments. She previously worked in private practice in Beverly and Cambridge, and at Massachusetts General Hospital for 5 1/2 years. She also runs a support group for multiple sclerosis patients through the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

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Examining alternatives to filing for bankruptcy

Robert J. Benoit, CPA, of Shrewsbury and the Massachusetts Society of Certified Public Accountants Inc. advise people to examine every other alternative before filing for bankruptcy. The disadvantages of bankruptcy can far outweigh the temporary relief from your debts that the bankruptcy law allows.

The most significant negative to filing bankruptcy is that it stunts one's ability to obtain credit for a period of up to 10 years. Ten years is a long time to wait for a mortgage, personal loan or credit card. Your chances of starting a business or obtaining a line of credit are rather dim after filing bankruptcy.

Another disadvantage is that employers and landlords look at credit history as an indication of your credibility. Applicants are often pre-screened when looking for a job or an apartment to rent. The problem with bankruptcy is that your ability to obtain a good job or a nice apartment may be impaired for a period of up to 10 years.

The advantage to

bankruptcy is that you have the ability to start over again, with either no debt or with a budget that you should be able to afford. There are two types of filings under the Federal Bankruptcy Act: Chapter 7 and Chapter 13.

Under Chapter 7 you receive a "clean start" by legally having your debts forgiven. Chapter 13 is more of a reorganization, whereby you pay a percentage of the debts you owe over a specified period of time. Under both chapters, your creditors are required to stop pursuing further action against you.

It is important to note however, that all of your debts are not forgiven. Payments for most federal, state and local taxes are not dis-

charged and payments for child support, alimony and some student loans are not discharged. The only relief you get from these creditors is that they cannot attempt to collect from you while you are in the bankruptcy process.

Chapter 7 is perhaps the most popular form of bankruptcy. About 75 percent of all bankruptcies are Chapter 7. The advantage of Chapter 7 is that most of your debts are canceled. Although on the surface this may sound nice, there is a major pitfall besides the bad credit rating. You must surrender most of your possessions. Your assets are sold by the bankruptcy trustee who uses the proceeds to pay a portion of your obligations. The remaining

debt is discharged. Once your debts are legally forgiven, you are not allowed to file for a Chapter 7 bankruptcy again for six years.

Chapter 13 is a different type of bankruptcy that enables you to stretch out your payments over a manageable time period. The major advantage to Chapter 13 is that you are allowed to keep your property, as long as you faithfully repay your bills. You are asked by the U.S. Bankruptcy Court to prepare a budget showing how much you can afford to pay each month after meeting basic living

expenses. If the plan is approved, the bankruptcy trustee collects the agreed upon amount each month and disburses it to the creditors. Payments may be made in full or in part over a three- to five-year term, during which time creditors are barred from taking any action. Chapter 13 is only available to individuals who owe less than \$100,000 in unsecured debts and up to \$350,000 of secured debts.

Recovering from bankruptcy is not pleasant. It means being without credit for a long time. Every time you attempt to obtain

credit you need to explain (and re-live) your unpleasant circumstances. If you have the opportunity to start your own business, you must constantly persuade creditors that you are now a worthy credit risk.

Bankruptcy should never be treated as an easy escape from paying your debts, according to CPA's. It should only be considered as a final resort after all other alternatives have been pursued. If your financial situation proves to be impossible and there is no other way out, bankruptcy may be your answer.

Women & Pre-Nuptial Agreements

If you are contemplating marriage or remarriage, you may be concerned that you will risk the eventual loss of some or all of your property or other assets in the event of a dissolution of your marriage by death or divorce. You may also be uneasy about raising these concerns with your prospective husband because you do not wish to seem unromantic or greedy. A properly negotiated and drafted pre-nuptial agreement can often address these very genuine concerns. The assistance of a lawyer in the negotiation and drafting process is essential if you wish your agreement to be valid and enforceable at some later time.

Contact Judith L. Nathanson, whose practice is limited to representing women in family law matters.

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FinCom: Use \$1.2M yearly for buildings

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According to Mr. Robb, this is the last fiscal year the town will have to make a \$1.6 million payment on loans for capital improvements made 10 years ago to the Doherty Middle School and West Elementary library. The state had reimbursed the town half of that sum, except last year when the town had to meet the entire sum.

For the past five to 10 years, said Mr. Robb, the town has spent about \$600,000 to \$800,000 annually on its buildings. At last spring's Town Meeting, the \$200,000 that was available for maintenance on school buildings was put into the school's operation budget, he said.

This fiscal year there will be no loan or interest charges to pay and the FinCom decided that because the \$800,000 had been built into the budget during the past decade for loan payments, now is a good time to commit the money for maintenance and capital improvements.

"We could have recommended that the money be put into the operating budget for next year, but that would only have amounted to about a 2 percent increase. If we did that we'd just be postponing the attention our town and school buildings need," he said.

The School Committee plans to discuss budget and maintenance needs at its next meeting, Tuesday, Jan. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the school administration building on Whittier Street.

Hearings set for school redistricting

The School Committee has planned a series of public meetings during the next two months to discuss redistricting and future school space needs.

The first will be a public hearing to discuss redistricting on Tuesday, Jan. 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the Doherty Middle School auditorium. The administration has been considering returning the Shawsheen School to a kindergarten-through-grade-five school to alleviate over crowding in the town's elementary schools.

Tax bills out, abatement requests due by Jan. 30

By Don Staruk

Third-quarter tax bills were mailed Tuesday and payments are due Feb. 1. Anyone planning to file an abatement must do so by Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 4:30 p.m., according to William Krajewski, assessor.

"I have to have an application by that date," Mr. Krajewski said last week.

The first two quarterly tax bills were estimated bills based on last year's taxes. The third quarter is based on the actual tax amount, figured by using the assessment values as of Jan. 1, 1991, and the tax rate set by the selectmen last month.

Andover's tax rate is \$13.26 per \$1,000 of property value for residential and personal property, and \$17.37 for commercial and industrial property.

Property values may have seen slight increases or decreases during 1991, but have generally ended up at about the same level they were at the beginning of the year, according to

Mr. Krajewski.

"The market has stabilized to a degree recently," the assessor said.

For that reason, he doesn't expect to see a large number of abatement requests, Mr. Krajewski said.

"It's going to be interesting to see what occurs here," Mr. Krajewski said.

Filing for an abatement

Anyone who believes his or her assessed property value is wrong can fill out an application for abatement, according to Mr. Krajewski.

The deadline is Jan. 30 at 4:30 p.m., and the assessor said that means the applications have to be filed in his office by that time, not postmarked or slipped under the door.

"I have to receive it," he said.

The form is available at the assessors office. It is a new form this year, with some changes made by the state, so Mr. Krajewski wants to make sure anyone filing uses the new form.

He also pointed out that filing for an abatement does not mean a property owner does not have to pay his or her taxes.

The bill must be paid as billed. Any refund, should an abatement eventually be approved, would come at a later date.

Once an application is filled out, either Susan Moore, assistant assessor, or Mr. Krajewski would check the files for any error, in most cases visit the property, and submit recommendations to the Board of Assessors.

If an applicant chooses, he or she can also request a hearing with the Board of Assessors, during which the applicant would be able to make his or her case in person.

The Board of Assessors then has 90 days to issue an abatement or deny the application.

If the applicant wants to appeal the board's decision, he or she has 90 days to file an appeal with the state Appellate Tax Board.

Non-union school personnel get 5 percent raises

By Lisa Boudreau

The School Committee approved a 5 percent cost-of-living raise for 24 non-union employees at its Tuesday, Dec. 23, meeting. Non-union employees include crossing guards and central office employees.

Committee Chair-

man Christopher Outwin said the raises, effective immediately, were merited because those employees had been working for the past two years without any increase and during that time teachers have received an average increase of more

than 5 percent each year.

"We've cut a significant number from the ranks of the non-union employees and their workload has increased," he said.

Included in the raise was a job-performance review process for the 24 employees, said Superintendent Mark McQuillan.

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SCHOOLS



Photo by Matthew Sapientia

The proud family of Timothy Grogean, second from left, gather for a photo Dec. 19, when Timothy was awarded his Eagle badge.

Timothy Grogean becomes an Eagle Scout with Troop 74

Timothy Grogean, 17, formerly of Andover, became an Eagle Scout in a Dec. 19 awards ceremony of Troop 74 at Andover Baptist Church.

He is a student at Browns School in North Andover. His parents, Tom and Jane Grogean, of Saffrey, Maine, were present at the ceremony.

For his Eagle Scout project, Mr. Gro-

gean organized the participation by members of South and West Parish churches in Boston's Walk for Hunger in May. They raised more than \$6,000.

Harold Tynning of Beacon Street, scoutmaster of Troop 74, worked closely with Mr. Grogean over several years on his scouting projects and notes that he is the first Eagle Scout in Troop 74 since 1974.

School of Montessori plans open house

Andover School of Montessori will hold an open house Saturday, Jan. 4, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the school building, 100 Main St.

The school is located at 100 Main St., North Andover, in the old St. Michael's school.

The open house will give parents an opportunity to see the classrooms and Montessori materials and speak with teachers and parents of currently enrolled students.

The Andover School of Montessori is in its first year of operation, serving preschool and kindergarten children from throughout the Merrimack Valley. The school is a parent-run, non-profit, non-sectarian program.

Applications are being accepted for the 1992-93 school year. ASM accepts children who are at least 2 years 9 months of age by Sept. 1.

Todd Lustig receives his master's degree

Todd Lustig of Andover recently received a master's degree in engineering administration from Virginia Tech.

He is a development engineer at AT&T

Bell Labs in Richmond, Va.

Mr. Lustig is the son of Alan and Eleanor Lustig.

High school lists its honor roll

Andover High School lists its most recent honor roll:

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11th grade

High honors:

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MENUS

Here's what's for lunch Jan. 2-10:

Elementary schools

Monday: Nachos with cheddar cheese, spanish rice, baked beans, chilled fruit cup.

Tuesday: Hamburger or cheeseburger on roll, potato puffs, waxed beans, applecrisp.

Wednesday: Pancakes with hot maple syrup, sausage patty, applesauce, fruited Jel-lo with topping.

Thursday: Chicken cutlet on roll, french fries, green beans, cake with frosting.

Friday: Meatball sub with tomato sauce, whole kernel corn, fruit cup.

A pizza or peanut butter and jelly lunch is available daily.

Middle schools

Monday: Hamburger or cheeseburger, potato chips, waxed beans, chilled fruit cup.

Tuesday: Steak sub, sliced carrots, fudge brownie.

Wednesday: Taco boat with meat stuffing, whole kernel corn, pudding.

Thursday: Veal cutlet sub, buttered green beans, applecrisp.

Friday: Sliced cheese pizza, carrot and celery sticks, chilled pears.

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Senior Center

Monday: Chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, wheat bread, fruit cup.

Tuesday: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn, wheat bread, baked dessert.

Wednesday: Pancakes, sausage, apple-sauce, vegetable cup, fruit.

Thursday: Vegetable soup, turkey salad sandwich, salad, baked dessert.

Friday: Baked fish, french fries, cole slaw, wheat bread and butter.

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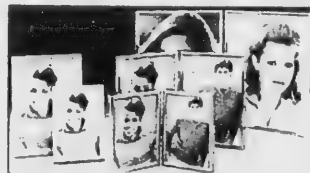
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MONDAY, JAN. 6

7:30 p.m. Board of Selectmen meeting. Live.

TUESDAY, JAN. 7

7:30 p.m. School Committee meeting. Live.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8

6 p.m. *Believers in Abundant Life*.
7 p.m. *Creating a Healthy Environment*. "Bob Brophy's Birds."

7:30 p.m. *Between Takes*. "It's a Rap!"

8 p.m. *Baking with Thomas of Rockport*. Eclairs and cream puffs.

8:30 p.m. *Breast Cancer: A Lecture by Dr. Susan Love*.

9:50 p.m. *Drug Use and Athletes*.

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

10 a.m. *Believers in Abundant Life*.
11 a.m. *Creating a Healthy Environment*.

11:30 a.m. *Baking with Thomas of Rockport*.

FRIDAY, JAN. 10

4 p.m. *Creating a Healthy Environment*.

4:30 p.m. *Between Takes*.

5 p.m. *Baking with Thomas of Rockport*.

5:30 p.m. *Breast Cancer: A Lecture by Dr. Susan Love*.

6:50 p.m. *Drug Use and Athletes*.

Channel 12

Music, video games and winter sports air as 1992 takes shape. Here's the lineup, which is tentative due to the early press deadline.

TUESDAY, JAN. 7

5:30 p.m. *AHS Winter Concert*. From Mozart to Mel (Torme), Andover High School students explore classical and holiday classics with their voices and musical instruments. Taped by Chad Murphy, Ed Moore and Mark O'Donnell.

7 p.m. *Gamezone*. The third episode of the Merrimack Valley's own video game review, produced by Ed Moore, who leads the charge in this special edition: Sega Genesis vs. the Super Nintendo - who wins? You decide. Additional reviews by Brandon Auchterlonie, Marc Nazzaro and Mark O'Donnell.

7:35 p.m. *AHS 1/2 Hour Comedy 1/2 Hour*. Take the "high" road to the Andover High TV studio, learn what space technology can do for you, and visit Weibka's World, starring Wendy Darling as Ms. Fesch. Produced by Mark O'Donnell and Marc Nazzaro.

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

5 p.m. *AHS Sports Update*. December edition. Produced by Dominic Seibert, this program features the opening of the winter sports season at Andover High.

5:30 p.m. *Golden Warrior Basketball*. The girls hit the court against Methuen from Jan. 3. Dominic Seibert and Brandon Auchterlonie are scheduled to cover the game.

7 p.m. *Golden Warrior Basketball*. Boys take on Methuen, also from Jan. 3. Same crew as the girls' game, above.

St. Augustine's slates drawing

St. Augustine's School's annual drawing - with a grand prize of \$5,000 - will be held Sunday, Jan. 5, at the Lanam Club.

Only 125 tickets are sold, so chances of winning a prize donated by a local business or the grand prize are good, said Nuala Carlson, a member of the planning committee.

"Many persons hold onto their lucky number from year to year," she said.

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Church raises funds for heat

Since early last winter the property committee of Christ Church has been at work on the church's heating plant.

Engineers who evaluated the current equipment said that it has to be replaced, according to members of the committee.

The engineers assessed the heating needs of the entire complex and wrote a list of specifications for a new heating system. The property committee then had plans drawn and bids put out to contractors.

The vestry agreed that work would not begin on replacing the heating system until the funding was secure.

As a capital project, the heating system must be paid by special contributions from parishioners.

Most of those who pledged to Christ Church's Rejoice and Rebuild campaign agreed to have their pledges applied to the heating system. They provided the foundation of this new capital campaign, said committeemen.

The church has received additional contributions and pledges, including a two-for-one matching grant. For every dollar newly contributed, the donor contributed two dollars. A recent collection included special offering envelopes for the campaign.

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OBITUARIES

Rocco Mirisola, 89

Former furrier

Rocco Mirisola, 89, of North Main Street died Monday, Dec. 23, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Mirisola was born in Reisi, Sicily, and came to the United States at the age of 4. He was raised in the Boston area.

Mr. Mirisola owned Robbie's Furrier in Andover for many years.

He was a former member of the Sons of Italy of Lawrence and Knights of Columbus of Boston.

He was the widower of Nancy (Porrepechio), and family members include his sons and daughters-in-law, Joseph Mirisola of Florida, Louis and Marge Mirisola of Maine, Robert and Pat Mirisola of Andover; daughters and son-in-law, Betty Goguen of North Andover and Mella and Hugh MacNeill of Colorado; a brother, Salvatore Mirisola of Florida and Cape Cod; a sister, Josephine Mazzapica of South Boston; 21 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

A Mass was celebrated Friday, Dec. 27, at St. Augustine Church in Andover. Burial was in St. Augustine Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 33 Fourth Ave., Needham, Mass. 02194.

Funeral arrangements were by Edgerley and Bessom Andover Funeral Home.

James Shea, 25

Research biochemist

James "Jamie" Mark Shea, 25, of 87 Chandler Road died Saturday, Dec. 28, at Memorial Hospital in Worcester.

Born in Lawrence, Mr. Shea was a 1984 honors graduate of Andover High School and a 1988 graduate of Bates College.

He was a research biochemist at Biotechnics International in Cambridge.

Mr. Shea was a member of St. Robert Bellarmine Church of Andover. He was also an Eagle Scout with Boy Scout Troop 77 of West Parish.

Family members include his parents, James M. and Carolyn (Anderson) Shea of Andover; brother, Christopher Shea, and sister, Alyson Shea, both of Andover; maternal grandparents, Alfred and Gladys Anderson of Fairfield, Conn.; and several aunts and uncles.

A Mass was to be celebrated Tuesday, Dec. 31, at St. Robert Bellarmine Church. Burial was to be in West Parish Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to AIDS Action of Andover, 25 Central St., Andover, Mass. 01810.

Funeral arrangements were by Burke Funeral Home, 390 N. Main St.

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William J. Cronin, 80
Dr. Richard F. McGrail, 62
Judith L. Medler, 51
Rocco Mirisola, 89
James M. Shea, 25
Irene Sullivan, 85

Judith L. Medler, 51

Former LWV president

Judith Louise (Cederwall) Medler, 51, of 17 Glenmeadow Road died at noon on Christmas Day at her home, ending her six-year struggle with melanoma.

Her family said they will be eternally grateful for the outpouring of comfort and aid extended to them throughout Mrs. Medler's illness.

"Judy will be remembered for her loving, caring nature," said her husband, Charles. "She was genuinely interested in everything and everyone she met."

She was born in Seattle, Wash., in 1940, the first child of Leroy and Emogene Cederwall.

Leroy Cederwall was the youngest of five children in a Swedish emigre family, and his daughter wore her Swedish heritage with pride throughout her life.

She and her two brothers and other family members met at a Cederwall reunion on Hood Canal, Wash., in the summer of 1990. "A videotape of that joy-filled reunion was one of the last things Judy watched as her condition worsened during December," Mr. Medler said.

Mrs. Medler attended high school on Bainbridge Island, Wash. She was a 1962 graduate of Whitman College in Walla Walla, Wash., where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.



Judy Medler

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William Cronin, 80

Retired electrician

William J. Cronin, 80, of 8 Punchard Ave. died Sunday, Dec. 29, at his home.

Mr. Cronin was born in South Boston. He was an electrician and retired in 1972.

Mr. Cronin was a member of St. Augustine Church and a 54-year member of Local 103 IBEW.

He was the widower of Anna (Murphy) Cronin, and family members include his sons, former U.S. Rep. Paul W. Cronin of Andover, with whom he lived, William Cronin of Cocoa Beach, Fla., Leo J. Cronin of Andover and John P. Cronin of North Andover; sister, Loretta Geisler of Arlington; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated Thursday, Jan. 2, at 10 a.m. at St. Augustine Church. Burial will follow in Spring Grove Cemetery. Services were to be held Wednesday, Jan. 1, from 3 to 9 p.m. at Burke Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lawrence Boys Club, 136 Water St., Lawrence, Mass., 01841.

Irene Sullivan, 85

Former mill worker

Irene (Larose) Sullivan, 85, of Lawrence died Saturday, Dec. 28, at Academy Manor Nursing Home.

Mrs. Sullivan was a lifelong resident of Lawrence. She worked in the Pacific Mills for many years. She attended St. Patrick Church in Lawrence.

She was the widow of John A. Sullivan, and family members include her nephew, the Rev. James F. Degnan, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church in Hopkinton; a niece, Jacqueline Lawlor of Andover; and several grandnieces and grandnephews.

A Mass was to be celebrated Tuesday, Dec. 31, at St. Patrick Church. Burial was to be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by Hart-McLennan Funeral Home in Lawrence.

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OBITUARIES

Dr. McGrail dies at 62

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Dr. McGrail's counsel and objectivity during their 20 years of school administration in Andover together.

"No matter how tough things could get - and they did get tough at times - his sense of humor was always there to take the edge off," Dr. Seifert said.

"That was just one of his many gifts to the system. Another was his loyalty to the people he worked with and his sensitivity to them and the students in his building."

Born in Cambridge, Dr. McGrail lived in Belmont for most of his life until moving to Andover 22 years ago.

He received his education in Belmont schools and graduated from St. Anselm College in 1953 with a degree in history.

He received a master's degree in education administration in 1961 from Boston College. Halfway through BC and before moving to Andover, he became a member of the college's faculty. In 1970, he received his doctorate in education from Boston College.

Before his tenure in Andover he had been an assistant principal at Wayland Junior High and principal of Holliston Middle School.

Even though Dr. McGrail's responsibilities as a building principal kept him from spending as much time with students as he would have liked, he tried to be in the classrooms when he could, said Bruce Maki, an assistant principal at Doherty.

"Whenever he made decisions about the school he always looked out for how the kids were going to be affected," Mr. Maki said.

Dr. McGrail attended St. Augustine Church and was the first chairman of the parish council. He was a member of the Andover Administrators Association and the Middle School Principals Association. He belonged to the North Andover Country Club and was a veteran of the Korean War.

Family members include his wife, Suzanne (Healy) McGrail; daughter, Maura A. McGrail, and son, Brendan J. McGrail, all of Andover; mother, Anna A. (O'Keefe) McGrail of Wellesley; sister, Eleanor Regan of Wellesley; brother, Paul F. McGrail of Belmont; and several nieces and nephews.

He was also the brother of the late John D. McGrail and Mary E. Harris.

A Mass was celebrated Saturday at St. Augustine Church. Burial followed in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the PALS Program, in care of Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass. 01810.

Funeral arrangements were by Pollard Funeral Home in Methuen.



Dr. McGrail

Christ Church loses beloved parishioner

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Mrs. Medler recently served as an admission volunteer for Whitman College in New England.

Settling in Seattle after college, she joined a small choir at St. Paul's Episcopal Church there, where she met her future husband, who said he was attracted by the contributions she brought to the weekly before-rehearsal suppers, as well as her musicianship and lovely alto voice.

They were married on Dec. 4, 1965, and continued to sing in choirs, Gilbert and Sullivan productions and around "certain important pianos" throughout their life together.

The family moved to Fullerton, Calif., in 1970, and Mrs. Medler began her active membership in the League of Women Voters.

"Her training and experience there, combined with her ability to nourish growth in others, led eventually to Judy's two-year term as president of Andover's league chapter 10 years later," Mr. Medler said.

He added that his wife's love of the outdoors continued to grow while the family lived in California. Participation in Audubon Society and Sierra Club activities, as well as camping and hiking trips, provided some of the happiest moments of their lives together, he said.

Mrs. Medler continued to develop her writing and editing skills and later was a teacher at a business college in West Africa, while the family was there for a year in 1976.

The Medlers came to Andover in 1978, where Mrs. Medler got involved in the League of Women Voters and Christ Church.

"Her love for this community grew slowly to balance her deep-seated longing for the West," Mr. Medler said.

While in Andover, she was employed by Merrimack College, the state League of Women Voters offices and Dana Duxbury and Associates of Andover. She was also a host parent for the A Better Chance program, a board member of the Friends of the Library and a member of the Appalachian Mountain Club.

Mrs. Medler held numerous roles as a member of the Christ Church community, most notably as a member of the team that supplies and arranges flowers for church services.

"The flowers provided an ideal medium for expressing her wonderful spirit and ideals," Mr. Medler said.

Besides her husband, family members include her daughter, Maia, 21, and son, Benjamin, 18, both of Andover; brothers, Richard Cederwall of Livermore, Calif., and Robert Cederwall of Bainbridge Island.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Dec. 28, at Christ Church. Burial was to be private and at the convenience of the family.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Dewhirst and Conte Funeral Home in North Andover.

DOWN THE YEARS

100 years ago - January 1892

About 5 o'clock last Saturday evening a man called on Chief Cheever for a permit to obtain lodging at the almshouse, who gave his name as Timothy Quinn. The chief, who had in his possession a description of John Miller, who was wanted in Haverhill for larceny, quickly discerning that Quinn and Miller were one and the same person, he instantly put him under arrest; later on he was handed over to District Officer Batchelder of Lawrence, who had been after him for some time; we have no doubt but that he will be well cared for, and we would advise all others of his stamp to give Andover a wide berth for our chief is always on the alert.

Mr. E.S. Stevens, P.A. '92, recently a sergeant in the Malden high school, has been chosen as instructor in military drill in the Pynchard school. Mr. Stevens won the championship of this state and also of his regiment last spring.

Among the donors to the Lawrence general hospital for the months of October and November we find the following from Andover: \$200 from Smith & Dove Mfg. Co., for free bed, also useful articles from Mrs. E. Blackburn and Miss Minnie Abbott.

The Order of Unity will hold their first anniversary tonight in the G.A.R. hall; the first business will be the election of new officers, after which a social time will follow, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, etc. Speeches will also be made by the supreme officers who are expected to be present. During the evening a bountiful collation will be served and a general good time is anticipated.

Remember the meeting of the Farmers club next Thursday evening. The topic for discussion is "Our dairy, best breed of cows, and method of feeding and general care." The speakers will be E. Francis Holt, Henry Hayware and Peter D. Smith. The meeting is held in the hall over Rea & Abbott's meat store. A cordial invitation to all interested to attend and participate the discussions of the club. The meeting will be called to order at 7:30.

Mr. Frank White has entered the employ of S.W. Fellows job printing office, Lawrence.

We understand that Mrs. Cox is quite sick at the home of her son, Geo. M. Henderson, on Cuba street.

A large number of children attending the village school is unable to be present on account of colds which their parents

claim is due to the improper method of heating and ventilating the school.

We are glad to state that the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Donohue who have been sick for some time have now fully recovered.

One would have thought that the ice was almost solid enough to bear anything, but John O'Keefe and Willie Donald think otherwise now, they having broke through but were happily rescued, none the worse for the dunking.

75 years ago - January 1917

The delivery wagon of Burns the tailor, and L.E. Elliott's auto collided on Phillips street Saturday at noon, but little damage was done. The horse attached to the wagon ran away, but John Carse who was driving finally stopped it before going very far.

The Andover Club will hold another of its successful whist parties on Saturday evening of this week.

The annual session of the State Grange was held in Springfield on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the delegation from Andover Grange included Ralph Bailey, master of the Essex County Pomona Grange; Worthy Master-elect William B. Corliss, Lecturer-elect Miss Gertrude Morgan, and Edward W. Burt.

The heavy snowstorm of Monday evening caused considerable inconvenience and not a little damage. The electric and steam care were delayed and wires were down. Two electric cars were stalled for the night on Main street and some of the passengers who returned late from Lawrence were forced to walk various distances to their homes. A heavy snow followed a driving rain and at present excellent sleighing is being enjoyed.

The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company are planning to open a store in Andover located in Elm block.

Hardy & Cole will build a house on Wolcott avenue for Lewis T. Hardy. Joseph McCarthy is the contractor for the cellar, work on which has been started.

The many friends of John Joyce of North Main street will be pleased to know that he is recovering from a severe illness and expects to leave soon for California.

Mrs. Charles Bowman, Miss Annie Leary and Mr. and Mrs. George A. Christie attended the performance of "Aida" at the Boston Opera House last Friday evening.

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DOWN THE YEARS

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50 years ago - January 1942

The sale of Series E defense bond in the local post office, since the war began, has so greatly increased that the supply has twice been sold out, according to this morning's announcement by Mrs. Marie Boland of the post office staff. Most of the sales have been in the \$25 denomination bond, but a considerable number of the larger certificates have crossed the window reserved for their sale in the local post office during the past two weeks. In all, \$13,312.50 worth of bonds have been sold there during the past, more than a dollar's worth for every person in town.

The unusual large volume of last-minute Christmas mail prompted post officials to hire about 20 temporary employees. There was a parcel post delivery, but no other mail was sent out on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe and children are now residing in their new home on Chester street. Mrs. Forsythe was formerly Miss Christine Burns of Ballardvale.

25 years ago - January 1967

H. James Dolan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Dolan, 99 Chestnut St., has been promoted to lieutenant commander in the U.S. Navy Supply Corps.

Lt. Cmdr. Dolan is a graduate of Punchard High school with the class of 1953. He was captain of the basketball team for two seasons and was also co-captain of football in 1952, and served as president of the student council.

Town Manager Richard J. Bowen told the selectmen Tuesday night that Andover faces a heavy spending program and he is not optimistic about cutting expenses.

The manager gave his forecast while the selectmen were considering a letter from School Board Chairman Dr. Louis J. Galbiati Jr., with an invitation to join his proposed "Space Planning Advisory Committee for Education."

At the request of the town manager the board of selectmen went into a short executive session Tuesday night. The manager explained that the matter had to do with land acquisition in connection with the new south-east school.

Mr. Bowen mentioned that a sum of money was to be mentioned in connection with the purchase of one parcel of property. He said that using the figure in public would hinder negotiations now being carried on with property owners.

10 years ago - January 1982

Boy Scout Troop 77 will hold a 25th anniversary celebration and Eagle recognition night on Wednesday in Fellowship Hall of West Parish Church.

The Andover Lodge of Elks will hold its annual Memorial Sunday at the Lodge Quarters.

This service is conducted every year in remembrance of departed brothers. The service is open to all families of departed members as well as friends and the general public.

An aide to Congressman James J. Shannon will hold office hours for Andover.

Thieves break into Radio Shack

Thieves smashed the glass front door of Radio Shack in Shawsheen Plaza Monday morning, Dec. 30, and stole camcorders, videocassette recorders, stereo equipment and police scanners.

Police received a call from an alarm company reporting the incident at 1:03 a.m.

The thieves were gone when police arrived.

Detective Kevin Winters was called in to

dust for fingerprints and police are investigating the break.

Special section coming Jan. 16:

**Business Review,
Forecast & Industry**

Auditions set for Our Town

The Burlington Players will hold auditions for Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer prize winning play, *Our Town*, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 6 and 7, at 7 p.m. at the Park Playhouse, just off Winn Street in Burlington.

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Lifeguard course to run here

The Greater Lawrence Technical School and the Merimack Valley Red Cross are sponsoring a lifeguard training course starting Jan. 7 and ending Jan. 30 at 57 River Road.

Candidates must be 15 and be able to swim continuously for 500 yards, do a surface dive, an underwater swim and tread water.

Classes run from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Call the Red Cross, 683-2465, or the school, 686-0194.

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The United Valley has received \$5.6 million from the state.

To date, received \$4,500,000, just a little more than needed to hit the target.

The five area chairmen, president of the Bank, the Haverhill area chairmen, has actually been underwa

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Looking at some employee salaries

Inspectors are town watchdogs

By Don Staruk

This is the third in a series on town employee salaries the Townsman will run between now and April Town Meeting. This list is just a portion of the total town payroll. All figures are for calendar year 1990.

The employees of the Department of Community Development and Planning could be classified as the watchdogs for the town.

The various inspectors and agents keep an eye on who is doing what where, how they are doing it and making sure they are doing it in accordance with the town's bylaws and safety codes. They carry out the policies set by the Planning, Zoning and Health boards.

Stephen Colyer, Laura Hill and Harry Smith are planners for the town. Sam DeSalvo is building inspector with Michael Buss and Kaija Gilmore, serving as local building inspectors. Bruce Hale is electrical inspector and Richard Salenas is plumbing, gas and sewer inspector. Mr. Hale is also sealer of weights and measures, a job he took over from Donald Cook, who retired.

Everett Penney Jr. is the health director, Dan Tremblay is a health inspector and Richard Lindsay is the animal inspector.

Mary Hamilton was the public health nurse in 1990 along with Pat Wilson. Both now work part time on an as-needed basis.

Jim Greer is the conservation agent and Joanne Martel is the code enforcement administrator.

Fran Johnson, Lois Liberman, Pat Schwing and Mary Ann Whittingham are administrative secretaries, and Jean Giles is a clerk.

Debra Baril retired as administrative secretary in the retirement department and Marianne O'Leary moved to that position full time.

Other clarifications

Members of the Board of Selectmen were paid \$1,000 each in 1990, with the chairman getting \$1,150. They were given a raise at Town Meeting in April of 1991. Regular members now receive \$1,200 and the chairman gets \$1,500.

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Name	Regular Pay	Overtime Pay	Department #2	Regular Pay	Overtime Pay	Grand Total
Council on Aging						
Marion E. Aziz	\$24,756.71					24,756.71
Mary A. Byrne	28,792.72					28,792.72
Jennifer P. Currier	9,833.52					9,833.52
Jeanne A. Doucette	16,521.29					16,521.29
Vivian Guy	1.10					1.10
Elizabeth L. Leed	12,547.40					12,547.40
Theresa Melillo	19,900.62					19,900.62
Barbara Miner	2,310.39					2,310.39
Catharine H. Newell	5,913.00					5,913.00
Shirley Nixon	\$562.50					562.50
Olivia L. Scilleppi	12,401.12					12,401.12
Katherine Urquhart	28,450.17					28,450.17
Dorothy M. Winn	656.09					656.09
Department Totals	\$162,646.63					162,646.63
Town Moderator						
James D. Doherty	\$150.00					150.00
Department Totals	\$150.00					150.00
Selectmen						
James M. Barenboim	\$1,150.02					1,150.02
William T. Downs	1,000.02					1,000.02
Elizabeth A. Kochakian	2,750.98		Fire clerk	27,530.81		30,281.79
Gail L. Ralston	1,099.98					1,099.98
Gerald H. Silverman	1,000.02					1,000.02
Charles H. Wesson Jr.	1,000.02					1,000.02
Department Totals	\$8,001.04			27,530.81		35,531.85
Community Development						
Michael J. Buss	\$34,814.45					34,814.45
Stephen L. Colyer	43,704.55					43,704.55
Donald B. Cook	4,999.92					4,999.92
Gilbert De Moor	254.24					254.24
Salvatore J. DeSalvo	49,599.96					49,599.96
Eileen M. Flaherty	228.03					228.03
Jean C. Giles	23,319.30					23,319.30
Kaija M. Gilmore	38,837.27					38,837.27
James A. Greer	42,931.48					42,931.48
Bruce P. Hale	39,285.21					39,285.21
Mary C. Hamilton	35,833.88					35,833.88
Laura J. Hill	42,188.83					42,188.83
Frances A. Johnson	27,163.40					27,163.40
Lois L. Liberman	27,481.64					27,481.64
Richard D. Lindsay DVM	600.00					600.00
Linda J. Marshall	237.07					237.07
Joanne E. Martel	30,350.15					30,350.15
Marianne O'Leary	13,461.87		Retirement	6,941.76		20,403.63
Everett F. Penney Jr.	49,231.44					49,231.44
Richard Salenas	39,285.21					39,285.21
Patricia A. Schwing	18,773.76					18,773.76
Harry A. Smith	37,062.26					37,062.26
Daniel H. Tremblay	39,669.72					39,669.72
Mary Ann T. Whittingham	22,654.03					22,654.03
Patricia H. Wilson	5,474.88					5,474.88
Department Totals	\$667,442.55			6,941.76		674,384.31
Retirement						
Debra L. Baril	18,208.79					18,208.79
Department Totals	\$18,208.79					18,208.79

United Way reaches 81 percent of goal

The United Way of Merrimack Valley has reached 81 percent of its \$5.6 million fund-raising goal.

To date, the United Way has received \$4,558,646 in pledges, leaving just a little more than \$1 million needed to hit goal.

The five area campaigns have been underway since late September, with Haverhill the first to reach 100 percent of its \$157,711 goal. Led by area chairman Thomas Faulkner, president of Haverhill Co-Operative Bank, the Haverhill campaign team has actually brought in \$159,984.

The remaining community totals

include southern New Hampshire at 95 percent of its \$109,361 goal; Amesbury/Newburyport area at 91 percent of its \$140,475 goal; Lawrence area at 71 percent of its \$984,351; and Lowell at 70 percent of its \$976,952 goal.

The campaign chairman's division, comprised of some of the larger accounts in the Valley, is at 85 percent of its \$3,253,358 goal.

United Way officials remain optimistic that the campaign will hit \$5.6 million. With the 62-member agencies requesting a 25 percent increase in allocations over last year, achiev-

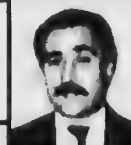
ing that goal is critical, said United Way of Merrimack Valley President Kenneth A. Gallant.

"The fact that our fund distribution panels have already started meeting really brings home the message that we need to end this campaign soon and on a high note," Mr. Gallant said. "In this type of economy the need for agency services has increased, while ironically, funds available to these agencies has decreased."

The campaign is expected to end by the holidays.



Understanding Chiropractic



by Mark F. DeLorenzo, D.C.

MEN AND WOMEN ALIKE

It is a mistake to think of osteoporosis primarily as a woman's disease. The fact is that this bone-thinning condition afflicts men as well as women. The main difference is that men tend to experience the disabling effects of thin, mineral-poor bones about ten years later in life than women. When researchers look at the rate of hip fractures (a reliable factor of osteoporosis) among older people, they find it to be 30 percent among men aged 90 to 100 years. This is the same percentage of women in their 80's who fall victim to this symptom. Regardless of age or gender, people can help guard against the onset of osteoporosis by increasing their calcium intake and engaging in weight-bearing exercises. See your chiropractor to find out what you can do to help prevent this disease. We will evaluate and recommend a program designed especially for you at **DELORENZO CHIROPRACTIC GROUP, 475-5042**, for an appointment. We accept only those patients we sincerely feel we can help. Our office is located at **15 Central Street**. I am currently serving as president of the Mass. Chiropractic Society.

P.S. Osteoporosis may bring on backbone fractures which create the condition known as "Dowager's Hump".

A REVIEW OF 1991

Andover's Baltic community rallied as their homelands came closer to independence from the Soviet Union.

The School Committee voted 3 to 1 not to rescind the bus fees it implemented in the summer.

Clifford Scott, 11 High St., was chosen by the School Committee and the Board of Selectmen to fill the seat left vacant when School Committee Chairman Andres Salazar resigned in July.

Kingman and Dee Webster, 7 Tamys Lane, 58 and 56 respectively, "adopted" a sixth-grade class in Lawrence and pledged to support the students' educational pursuits even though college. Mr. Webster is a retired executive who sold his family's business and decided with his wife to dedicate time and financial resources to education in Lawrence.

September

Classes opened for public school students with reductions in elementary music and library services, a scaled-down foreign language program for seventh-graders, no home economics or industrial arts classes at the high school and a 25 cent increase in the price for hot lunch. Officials expect a 200 student jump in enrollment this year.

Townsmen reporter Don Staruk road on a garbage truck around town and reported on a day in the life of a garbage collector.

Phillips Academy students began



Photo by Matthew Sapienza

Rachel Rau samples the goods during an apple-picking field trip with West Parish Nursery School to Barker's Farm in North Andover in October.



Photo by Matthew Sapienza

About 3,000 runners hit downtown Andover streets on Thanksgiving Day to participate in the annual Feaster Five Road Race. The Townsman was one of the race sponsors.

the new school year and among the student body were a 10th grade published music composer, a 10th grade newspaper columnist who took over his father's column after his death, a world-class violinist, a trilingual hockey player, one student who speaks four languages fluently, five others who speak three languages and one student who raises championship pigs.

The Townsman profiled a non-profit foundation that has benefited area charities for the past 38 years. The Stevens Foundation was started in 1943 to support non-profit agencies in the Greater Lawrence area.

Clarence Johnson, commander of Andover's American Legion Post 8, announced he may have to close the post if more members can't be recruited to take over responsibilities he no longer believes he, as an 80-year-old, can do.

Unpaid taxes in Andover make up \$750,000 of missing budget money. There are approximately 30 property owners in town in September who were threatened with having their property taken for delinquent taxes.

Andover Cottage Industries, a group of local crafters and antique merchants, who had their house-to-house sale banned by the town last year, organized a petition to be voted on at Town Meeting, Sept. 30, to allow their sales during the 1991 holiday season.

October

Andover High School cafeteria lunches cost \$2, but Richard Baron, head of food services for the town's schools, believes the choices students have are keeping up with the demand for healthier, lower-salt and low-fat foods.

A group of public school parents hired a Latin teacher from Phillips Academy to instruct an after-school Latin class when budget cuts at the middle schools eliminated the program for seventh-graders. Vincent Pasucci, a Latin and Greek teacher at PA, holds the class at the Andover Bookstore. The owners of the store, Bill and Carolyn Dalton, donated the space to the program.

The School Committee began discussing the possibility of redistricting the town's schools to alleviate overcrowding at some of the elementary schools.

Red Harris, owner of Red Harris Sporting Goods, announced he would be closing his store. He told the Townsman his business was another victim of the recession and the lack of walk-in business on Main Street.

Everett Penney, town health director, drew fire from some residents when he stated at a Board of Selectmen meeting that no significant progress against the spread of AIDS will be

made until homosexual behavior is treated as an "objectively disordered personality condition."

Almost anywhere a person went in town in the middle of the month he or she heard people talking about the Clarence Thomas Supreme Court justice hearings. Hair stylists at one local salon had a TV set on a counter; one of the waitresses at Friendly's restaurant was discussing it with a customer; and it was the topic at many family dinner tables.

Christeen Estabrook, owner of Silverado athletic club in Park Street Village, had to delay the official opening of her club while the town filed her application for operation. She had plans approved one month earlier, but had to wait the 20-day period before all paper work was legal.

The Townsman received several letters in response to Health Director Penney's stand on homosexual behavior being a "objectively disordered personality condition." Mr. Penney said he had received about 10 calls himself, running 5 to 1 in support of his right to make the comments he made at the selectmen's meeting.

The selectmen began discussing Andover's needs for the 21st century. The first meeting's goal was to find out what townspeople wanted for their community.

The school transportation depart-

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ment began mailing reimbursement checks to parents of children who had paid the initial bus fee, but under the second policy no longer had to pay.

Townsmen reporter Don Staruk and photographer Matthew Sapienza hit the town's Main Street to see what kind of men's clothes the center had to offer. The reporter was photographed wearing outfits from Gentry men's clothing, Macartney's and Enzo of Andover.

Local educators and teachers spoke up and were counted when Gov. Weld announced he'd like to eliminate teacher tenure as a means of job security and promotion. Dick Hubbell of the School Committee said, "Tenure is retirement in place for many teachers." Tom Meyers, head of the local teachers' union, said tenure is necessary because it prevents improper teacher dismissal.

Shawsheen Women's Club celebrated its 70th anniversary with a party at the Lanam Club. The club was founded in 1921 by a handful of women in the Shawsheen Village section of town to "foster the welfare of the town."

Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski outlined a capital improvement plan that contained \$30 million worth of improvements he recommended should be done in the next five years.

November

The average teacher in Andover makes \$39,000, the *Townsmen* learned after releasing the salaries of all school personnel.

The School Committee was working on figuring how to rent out the Collins



Photo by Matthew Sapienza

Defensive coordinator Joe Iarobino at Andover High School congratulates coach Dick Collins as the clock runs out in the November football game against North Andover. The AHS victory was more than just a rivalry boost, it was the 200th career win for the Warriors' coach.

Center. It settled on \$1,750 per performance day and \$900 per rehearsal day.

Veterans held services for Veteran's Day.

Lee and Renee Russem announced that their stores, Russem's Ladies Apparel Shop and Samantha's Fine Clothing, were going out of business - victims of the recession.

The Professional Center for Handicapped Children was trying to raise money to buy the property where the center is located: 32 Osgood St.

The Andover High School Marching Band brought home a gold medal and a second-place finish in the New England Scholastic Band Association finals.

The Andover Theatre performed *The Runner Stumbles* to small but appreciative audiences at West Elementary School.

The Andover High School golf team qualified for the State Division I championships.

James Nelson, the man suspected of killing an Andover postman, David Bradner, was found dead in northern Maine, apparently from a self-inflicted gun shot to the head.

Town assessors said property values were down from \$3.1 million to \$2.8 million, about a 10 percent reduction.

After some controversy, Andover High School modified its production of Lillian Hellman's *Little Foxes*. The word "nigger" was replaced with "colored."

A problem of mold at West Elementary School sent some teachers and students home sick, and eventually made officials decide to close the school while an independent contractor fixed the problem. Students eventually were bused to other sites for classes.

Bill Cullen, long-time Andover resident and Wilmington High hockey coach, was named varsity ice hockey coach at Andover High School.

Veterans are looking at the triangular green space at Elm Square for a memorial park dedicated to all veterans who have served in any branch of the military.

Bel Canto restaurant, at 10 Main St., closed but the Bella Vista restaurant announced it will open in the same location.

The School Committee gave the green light to explore redistricting the town's elementary school districts. The committee expects redistricting to be necessary because of overcrowding.

The Bay Circuit Alliance received a \$5,000 grant from the World Wildlife Fund's Innovation Grants program to help create the 160-mile Bay Circuit recreation trail linking parks and open spaces surrounding metropolitan Boston, including Andover.

An Andover High School student, Rich Meyers, talked about the Golden Warrior mascot being offensive to Native Americans.

About 3,000 runners hit Andover's streets for the second annual Feaster Five Road Race on Thanksgiving.



Photo by Matthew Sapienza

Trucks from the post office make their way into Bellevue Cemetery as part of the long funeral procession for David Bradner, a postal worker in Andover who was murdered in November.

Two elderly residents of Andover Commons were hospitalized after being robbed in front of the Railroad Street complex.

Andover Country Club began again to try to obtain permission to open its facilities to the general public. The club filed a petition with the Zoning Board of Appeals for a special permit to allow the use of 26 inn rooms.

Shawmut Bank opened a new branch at 68 Main St., in the newly renovated Barcelos office building.

School bus routes changed since kindergarten through grade-six students no matter what distance ride the bus now for free and those in grades 7-12 have to pay \$119 if they ride.

December

Pear Harbor veteran William "Buck" Buchan spoke about his memories of the Japanese attack 50 years ago. Mr. Buchan and three other men who were delivering supplies between battleships the morning of the attack-rescued hundreds of sailors that day from the oil-soaked burning harbor.

Rabbi Osher Bronstein and his wife, Feigie, celebrated the grand opening of the new Shalom Lubavitch Center in Andover as well as the first day of the Hanukkah season in their Andover home.

Lois Haslam, assistant superintendent of Andover public schools for the past 12 years, announced she had taken the superintendency in Harvard.

EDITORIALS

1991: Budget cuts and planning

School Committee members and residents spent quite some time during 1991 dealing with budget problems. The committee decided to seek tuition students for Andover High School, an idea that later was dropped. It also decided to charge busing fees. Obviously in the new year, 1992, the community will face similar budget problems and the schools, being the largest slice of the budget pie, will be one of the most controversial topics.

There was good news in 1991, too. Dee and Kingman Webster, of 7 Tamys Lane, "adopted" a group of sixth-graders from Lawrence and pledged to become financially and emotionally involved in their school lives. The story caught the imagination of many people who decided to reach out, too, and help show the children that there are people who care about them.

Reflecting the down economy, the town had \$750,000 in unpaid taxes, Red Harris closed his Main Street sporting goods store and Lee and Renee Russem closed their two women's clothing stores, also on Main Street.

But there was good business news too. Several new businesses opened here, even though some claimed they had difficulty working with town officials obtaining the proper permits. Town officials, in turn, pledged to try to make the permitting process for new businesses more clear and accessible.

Most likely, Andover will look back on 1991 and say it was a difficult year when many lost their jobs, budgets were cut and people postponed major purchases. Many will say that postponing some work on the town's infrastructure, such as the mold situation at West Elementary School, has produced some long-term financial problems.

But they will say it was a year when residents and officials rolled up their sleeves to plan for the future.



Photo by Matthew Sapienza

Almost every week day, a few students from Doherty Middle School join senior citizens at the Andover Senior Center, Whittier Court, for lunch. In this photo are, from left, Hilde Lange, Julie Litzenberger, Jaci Riordan and Edna Powell. The students are DMS sixth-graders. In exchange, the school often invites senior citizens from the center to activities at Doherty Middle School.

He wanted spaghetti; she wanted pizza

By Perry Colmore Catlin

She hadn't seen her son since October. And although she sees her daughter, who goes to college in Rhode Island, maybe every three weeks or so, she anticipated her arrival with great joy, too.

Although not one to obsess too much about physical surroundings, she polished the silver and she made sure to leave free the night before her college-age children arrived home for Christmas.

That night she vacuumed, picked up the clutter, hung a picture in her son's otherwise sparse bedroom and put out two sets of clean towels in the bathroom.

Also in preparation for their arrival, the woman had turned down a few invitations for holiday parties, thinking her children would only be here a few weeks and she wanted to spend the time with them.

And then they arrived. With several loads of laundry. And with sev-

eral needs. Her daughter was hungry; her son had a bad cold and needed a lot of sleep.

Her daughter brought the dog with her. The dog was hungry. And needed to be walked. Her daughter wanted to get some aerobic exercise. Her son wanted to skate, but first he had to find his skates. Her daughter had a very long list of people to whom she wanted to give Christmas presents. And very little money.

Even though the woman had loaded the larder with what she calls kid food — snacks, juice drinks, ice cream, and yes, cookies — the mother decided to make a special dinner: shrimp in a good cream sauce, homemade bread, a little broccoli for color and, of course, ice cream. Instead of taking a chance that they'd all be there at dinner time, she decided she'd better fix the meal mid-day, because they were all there then.

Her daughter said she wasn't hungry. Her son said he thought he'd take a shower. They ate anyway. Her daughter was appreciative. Her son showered later.

After lunch, the woman chose a cozy seat in the living room, picked up her rug hooking and began to whittle away at her expectations for

Her daughter was hungry; her son had a bad cold and needed a lot of sleep.

this vacation.

Her son brought his vacation reading to the room and settled in. Her daughter came to the room and turned on the TV. The woman asked if she could turn it down. She did it, cheerfully.

They got into an interesting conversation about the economy and the use of credit cards. Her daughter turned off the TV. The woman remembered her children are now adults and interesting adults, too.

The phone rang. A friend wanted her son to go skating. He left.

Her daughter decided to go shopping. She left.

The woman realized this was one of the first times in days she had sat still. Selecting some Christmas music on the stereo, the woman sat back on the couch, picked up her rug hooking and for the first time in days, relaxed.

LETTERS

Policeman complains about party for 'preferred' people

Editor, *Townsmen*:

The Andover Police Department held its annual Christmas party at the Lanam Club, 260 N. Main St., Wednesday, Dec. 18, from noon to 4 p.m.

In attendance was Chief of Police, James F. Johnson, select ranking officers, police dispatchers and support personnel. Incredibly, one uniform patrolman was requested or encouraged to attend.

Incidentally, the patrolmen are the only group of police personnel not to receive a pay raise for the last three years.

It is inconceivable that the police department could hold such an extravagant Christmas party for selected employees in these hard financial times. In fact, two patrolmen were laid off last June as a result of a budget shortfall.

Considering the preferred groups of employees who were invited and the larger group, the uniform patrolmen, were not, it is without consternation why the police department is so polarized.

The police department is a model of financial nonaccountability. Johnson is obligated to provide the Board of Selectmen, the Finance Committee, the

town manager, those patrolmen laid off, current patrolmen, citizens and taxpayers of the town of Andover a straightforward justification for this exorbitant, illogical expenditure.

**Fred W. Sunderland Jr.
Police Patrolmen's Union**

(Editor's note: Fred Sunder-land is out on full disability pay for what he said are "stress reasons.")

Chief Johnson reports that the Relief Association opted not to be involved with the party "so they weren't invited." The chief said, "I paid for the party out of my own pocket."

He said 48 people, including some from the district attorney's office and others, were invited and about 35 showed up. He said, "It wasn't a big sit-down dinner; people bought drinks and there were hors d'oeuvres." He said in the past two years there have been problems planning the party, either with not many signing up and then showing up, or with many signing up and then not attending. So this year's party was handled in a different manner.

He said the purpose of the party is to thank those who interact with the police department.)

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Hank Picard is employee of the month

By Don Staruk

Patrolman Henry "Hank" Picard was chosen by his fellow workers as the police department's employee of the month for November.

Mr. Picard, 52, of North Andover, has worked for the department for 20 years, eight of them in the detective division.

He currently works the day shift and was the first policeman on the scene of the Nov. 7 fatal shooting of postman David Bradner on Andover Street.

He is also the "department pilot," according to some of his fellow employees, having received



Patrolman Henry "Hank" Picard

his private pilot's license in 1990.

"It's a nice hobby. It's only a hobby though," Officer Picard said.

He has a bachelor's degree in Human Services from New Hampshire College and a master's degree in Criminal Justice from the Anna Maria College, in Paxton.

"I have four children and a newly adopted one coming in tomorrow," a 3-year-old girl, Patrolman Picard said last Thursday. "We're all excited about her."

As part of his award, Mr. Picard had a parking space out front of the station for the month of December, and received a pen and pencil set bearing the town seal.

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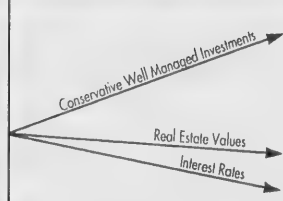
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School Committee and town manager: Jenkins angry about lack of communication

By Lisa Boudreau

School Committee member Susan Jenkins is angry that Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski never notified the school administration he hired a private engineering firm to follow through on recommendations to adjust West Elementary School's air handling system.

The school's wet basement accelerated a mold problem that caused officials to close the school last month. One of the solutions recommended by David Gordon, an industrial hygienist hired by the school administration, was to circulate more fresh air into the school to dry up the moisture. A second recommendation Mr. Gordon made was to balance the air vents and the building's heating capacity once the mold problem was under control.

"The town manager and municipal maintenance hired a company but they didn't tell anybody on this side. This is just a perfect example of the lack of communication between the town and school sides," Ms. Jenkins told the committee at its meeting Monday, Dec. 23.

"(The town manager and municipal maintenance people) should be telling the superintendent what's going on with that building," she said.

Superintendent Mark McQuil-lan defended the other departments' actions and said that Mr. Stapczynski was "just being proactive" in following the recommendations made by the industrial hygienists last month.

School Committee Chairman Christopher Outwin said he was

not upset that the town manager had gone ahead and hired an engineer to balance the air handling system. However, he said he was bothered that the school administration wasn't notified.

"Some type of communication protocol has to be established," said Dr. Outwin.

To that end the School Committee has added a new discussion item to its biweekly meetings. At each meeting the superintendent will present an updated list of work being done in the school buildings.

Mr. Stapczynski, who heads municipal maintenance, told the *Townsmen* last week that he didn't understand why Ms. Jenkins was upset because officials were following the recommendations made by the industrial hygienist hired by the committee.

"Mr. Gordon said the air handling system had to be balanced (between the cold, fresh air coming in and the ability of the boiler to heat the overall school environment) but he wasn't able to tell us how to do it," Mr. Stapczynski said. "It's like a doctor saying you need an operation and then going to a surgeon to do the operation."

Mr. Stapczynski stressed that the \$2,000 planned to be paid to the engineer to balance the system will come from the municipal maintenance budget and not the schools' budget.

"We will be adding more formal meetings between maintenance the school side and building principals," said Mr. Stapczynski.

Keeping the school mold free

The following are recommendations made by an industrial hygienist to keep West Elementary School as mold free as possible.

- A generator should be purchased to keep the fans, which are essential to the ventilation system, running in case of a power outage.

- Special air filters and gaskets should only be used in the air vents. They should be changed "at least" every month for the next three months. They can be changed less often after that, depending on the mold conditions in the school.

- The air handling system should be balanced so that a proper amount of outside air is circu-

lated through the system and that the overall temperature of the building is comfortable.

- The school

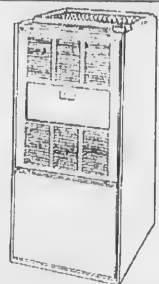
should buy a heavy duty suction vacuum cleaner and the rugs in the building should be cleaned with it "at least"

every three months.

- Fans should be installed in each room in the building and run continuously.

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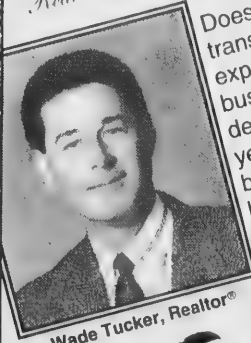
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SPORTS

Warriors nip Wilmington

By Rick Harrison

If last week is any indication, the Andover High boys' varsity basketball team won't take the easy road many times this season.

After opening the season with a seven-point victory over Haverhill, the Golden Warriors nipped Wilmington 59-57 on sharpshooter Sean Ryan's buzzer-beating shot, lost a stunning 69-63 overtime decision to Methuen in the opening round of the Greater Lawrence Christmas Festival, and slipped past Winnacunnet High 59-54 in the tourney's consolation round.

Coach Dave Fazio's quintet entered the final rounds of the tournament with a 3-1 overall record, playing after the early *Townsmen* holiday deadline.

Andover resumes Merrimack Valley Conference play, where it is 2-0 in the Large School Division, tomorrow night against the best Billerica team (3-0) in years (6 p.m.).

The Warriors also entertain Dracut (0-3) next Tuesday night (7:30 p.m.) at the Dunn Gymnasium.

Andover, 59-57

Sean The Sniper buried a long jumper as time expired to lift AHS past upset-minded Wilmington (2-2), which has now lost 53 consecutive games to the Warriors.

The Wildcats remained in contention throughout by connecting on nine three-pointers and outscoring Andover 14-7 at the free throw line.

Ryan, the locals' top scorer through four games with 86 points and a 21.5 average, finished with 22 points including the clutch game-winning bucket.

Kevin Ring added 16 points to the unbalanced attack, while senior guard Matt Harris pocketed nine points, junior forward Mark Lastrina four, comebacking senior 6-5 center Chris Shea and Mike Pettoruto three each and sophomore Toby Guzowski two.

Greg Malella was top gun for Wilmington with 18 points, including a trio of three-pointers.

It marked Shea's return to the lineup after three weeks of rehabilitation from a broken thumb on his left hand.

Methuen, 69-63 (ot)

An emotional Methuen team, which lost its next game in the tourney and was just 1-3 through its first four starts this year, came from a game-long deficit to tie it 56-56 after regulation and outscore Andover 13-7 in the extra session.

Jamie Cunneen was the major thorn as he poured through 35 points, the fifth highest single-game output in the tournament's lengthy history. He single-handedly outscored the Warriors in the three-minute overtime, pumping through nine points.

Andover ended up with a 24-21 advantage from the floor, but the Rangers won it at the free throw line by outpointing AHS 26-11. Eighteen of those charities belonged to the sizzling Mr. Cunneen.

Andover appeared to have things under control at the half, leading 33-28, and they stretched the edge slightly to 39-32 with six minutes gone in the second half.

Methuen kept battling back, however, and eventually grabbed its first lead since early in the game at 52-51 with just under two minutes to play. Sean Ryan and Eric Denise traded baskets in the closing seconds to force the overtime.

Cunneen broke a 58-58 deadlock midway through the OT with a crucial three-pointer, and the rest of the game bogged down into a free throw shooting contest.

The Warriors' cause was hurt considerably when both Ryan and Chris Shea fouled out.

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Lady hoopsters post two wins

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High girls' basketball team shook off a season-opening loss to Haverhill quickly, showing no ill effects in a subsequent 54-26 Merrimack Valley Conference romp over Wilmington and a 48-40 decision against St. Mary's of Lawrence in the opening round of the Greater Lawrence Christmas Tournament at Methuen.

The Lady Warriors completed their quest for the tourney title last weekend, after the early *Townsmen* holiday deadline, and return to MVC action tomorrow night (7:30 p.m.) in their home opener against winless Billerica (0-4).

Andover will also battle Dracut next Tuesday evening (6:30 p.m.) at the Dunn Gymnasium.

After three games Lindsey Sweeney was the top scorer with 34 points, followed by Kerry Hagerty with 24 and Zahia Kattar 22.

Andover, 54-26

Coach George Sullivan's crew had little resistance from Wilmington, racing to a commanding 33-14 halftime lead and coasting from there.

Junior guard Lindsey Sweeney and junior forward Kerry Hagerty led the attack with 14 and 10 points respectively, Sweeney counting three long-range three-pointers among her five field goals.

Six other players found the scoring column as senior center Stephanie Kupa tossed in eight points, senior forward Zahia Kattar seven, surprising junior

guard Amy Cassidy six, senior center Amy O'Sullivan five, senior guard Melissa "Silk" McNamara two and junior swingman Tara Griffin two.

O'Sullivan also pulled down 10 rebounds, Kupa had eight boards, Kattar 10 rebounds and 10 defensive plusses (deflections, steals, etc.).

"O'Sullivan has improved tremendously. She's doing many things that don't show up in the statistics," said Coach Sullivan. "She's diving for loose balls, blocking off the lane, and causing opponent turnovers with her weakside and backdoor help.

"Z (Kattar) always defends the top player on the other team, and she's doing a great job of boxing out and denying the ball.

"Lindsey Sweeney does most of our ballhandling and has been carrying the load of bringing the ball up, distributing it and scoring."

The Lady Warriors, who romped despite the absence of Grace Perry, once again struggled at the free throw line. "You'd never know every one of our players takes 50 foul shots at every practice," lamented Sullivan.

Andover, 48-40

AHS rode a strong first half effort to the tournament quarterfinal round triumph over stubborn St. Mary's of Lawrence.

The locals raced to a 28-15 halftime lead, but were outscored 25-20 by the pesky Crusaders in the final 16 minutes.

"It was like the team we had in the first half went home and someone else took their place," said Coach Sullivan, who followed the victory by giving his team four days off. "We came out flat in the second half and stayed that way."

St. Mary's actually cut a 13-point deficit to just one, 40-39, before Andover started running and outscored the Crusaders 8-1 in the closing minutes.

"They applied some man-to-man pressure and never gave up," said Sullivan. "It's an extremely well-coached team, and they're like a bunch of waterbugs on defense. We got lazy and they were all over the place.

"Kerry Hagerty was our unsung hero, making some critical baskets near the end. Amy O'Sullivan had five blocks, and Lindsey (Sweeney) made a couple big plays at the end despite the fact St. Mary's was doubling up on her.

"Melissa McNamara actually turned the game around for us with her defense," continued Sullivan. "That's Mac's forte. She caused quite a few turnovers and took them out of their offense.

"And Amy Cassidy played well again. She continues to show a lot of promise."

Once again Sweeney and Cassidy led the way with 11 and 10 points respectively. Grace Perry contributed seven, Stephanie Kupa six, O'Sullivan six, Zahia Kattar four, McNamara two and

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AHS icemen win three

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High hockey team last week traveled the first mile on the road to establishing itself as a Merrimack Valley Conference Small School Division challenger, ripping off three straight impressive victories over Lowell (7-1), Central Catholic (5-3) and Holliston (6-2).

The three wins, following a tough 3-2 opening loss to Methuen, launched veteran Coach Bill Cullen's AHS career in impressive style and lift the Golden Warriors at 3-1-0 overall and 1-1-0 in league play.

Andover, which battled traditional Large School power Chelmsford on New Year's Eve, returns to the ice today against Haverhill and again Saturday at Merrimack College versus Wilmington (5:15 p.m.).

Justin Hesenius, Chris Pothier and Dan Feeley paced the balanced Andover scoring after four games with three goals and three assists apiece. Close behind are Bobby Daley (3-2-5), Bobby Sheehan (2-3-5) and Bill Owens (3-1-4).

Andover, 7-1

Six players scored in the romp over Lowell, with the Warriors firing 51 shots on net and receiving a sharp 30-save performance from junior transfer student Chris Addressa in his Andover goaltending debut.

Senior left wing Dan Feeley led the assault with two goals, exactly four minutes apart in the second period, while linemate Bobby Sheehan contributed one goal, two assists.

Other marksmen for AHS, which boke the game open with four second-period goals, were senior right wing Bill Owens, consistent Chris Pothier, senior center Jamie Himber and senior wing Brian Jones.

For Himber and Jones it marked their first varsity goals.

Junior defenseman Justin Hesenius and Steve Neal had two assists each, while Feeley added one.

Addressa lost the shutout when Lowell's Steve Ingram netted an unassisted, shorthanded goal at 2:22 of the middle period.

"We're trying to get the kids to shoot the puck more," said Cullen. "And in this game it paid off for Danny Feeley. He had a lot of shots and a couple of them connected."

"It's good to see Jamie Himber contribute. He showed a lot of spark during the pre-season, so we kept him on the roster and now he's taking a regular shift (with Jones and Neal) and playing well," noted Cullen.

Himber's goal at 13:32 of the first stanza, eight minutes after Sheehan had given the Warriors a 1-0 lead, turned out to be the game-winner.

Junior Fred Sunderland played the final four minutes in the Andover net.

Andover, 5-3

Justin Hesenius pocketed his first two goals of the season for the locals, both unassisted on blistering blue-line blasts, but it wasn't until sophomore center Bobby Daley notched an insurance goal with 5:46 to play that Andover

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Boys' track falls to Central Catholic

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High boys' track team dropped a tough 45-41 decision to Central Catholic in recent Merrimack Valley Conference dual meet action at the Methuen High Field House.

The Golden Warriors, who fell to 1-1-0 with the loss, placed first in six of the 10 events but fell to a Central team that displayed superior depth.

Both the AHS girls, who were idle last week, and boys returned to action against North Andover last Monday and will face Chelmsford next Monday afternoon (3:30 p.m.) at Methuen.

Individual winners against CCHS were senior standout Jason McCue in the hurdles (6.6), senior Captain Jamie Damon in the 50 dash (5.6), junior Colin Arsenault in the 600 run (1:21.7), senior Captain Mike Gialmo in the 1000 run (2:36.2), sophomore Max Dawson in the two-mile (11:03.1).

The sixth triumph came in the

mile relay where McCue, Damon, Arsenault and Gialmo combined for a swift 3:49.1 clocking.

Runners-up for Coach Art Iworsley's squad were freshman long distance prospect Matt Ely in the 1000, junior Brian Twomey in the mile and senior Captain Jeremy Roux in the deuce.

Placing third for AHS were junior hurdler Jon Cirella and senior sprinter Jason Hastings (300).

Central keyed its victory by sweeping both the high jump and shot put and placing 1-2 in the 300. Kevin Labrecque won the 300 in 34.9 and was second in the high jump for CCHS.

Andover resident Andy Paradis also sparked the Red Raiders (2-0-0) by winning the mile in 4:53.9, earning five valuable points for the victors.

The Golden Warriors had several key performers away over the vacation, among them Steve Shepard and sophomore Eric Fox.

W's nip Wilmington

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Ryan pocketed 25 points, including three three-pointers, while Shea had 20 points despite being hampered by his bandaged thumb.

Kevin Ring had eight points, sophomore guard Kirk Stockwood three, Matt Harris two, junior swingman Dave Gardner two, Mark Lastrina two and Mike Pettoruto a free throw.

The Warriors and Winnacunnet, N.H. Regional played it nip-and-tuck throughout, Andover leading 30-27 at halftime and finally pulling away in the last half-minute on a Sean Ryan

bucket and two foul shots from Mike Pettoruto.

This time the free throw line was Andover's best friend, a 19-10 scoring edge there negating a 21-20 Winnacunnet advantage from the floor.

Chris Shea and Sean Ryan continued to be a solid 1-2 punch with 20 and 18 points respectively, Ryan not sinking any three's for the first time this season.

Kevin Ring was the third man in double digits with 10 points, Mike Pettoruto added four, Matt Harris three, senior forward Doug Cullen two and Mark Lastrina two.

Senior guard Chris Lembo also played a strong floor game.

Lady hoopsters win

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Cassidy two.

Andover hit 10-of-19 free throws and St. Mary's 13-of-26. "I could have sworn we were 0-for-50 and they did much better," noted Sullivan.

AHS freshmen

The Andover High freshman girls improved to 2-0 with a 34-15 romp over Wilmington as Anne Marie Hussey (12 points), Jen Griffin (six points) and Beth Cummins (nine rebounds) led the way.

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AHS icemen win three

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could breathe easier in the win over Central Catholic.

It is the only loss thus far for the veteran Red Raiders (3-1-0).

Although both teams are members of the MVC this was designated as a non-league contest.

"Our kids learned a lesson in the opening game against Methuen," said Coach Cullen. "You have to keep working for the full 45 minutes. The second period of this game had shades of the Methuen game, but this time we played harder and harder and pulled it out."

The locals also received a solid 30-save performance from senior goaltender Mike Daley, as he continually kept Andover in the game with clutch stops.

Heseniuss gave AHS a 1-0 first period lead, scoring at 8:21, and Bill Owens tipped in a Bob Sheehan shot from the point during an Andover powerplay at 1:30 of the second session.

Andover resident Brendan Finneran put Central on the board with a 4-on-3 powerplay tally at 6:36 of the second, and 38 seconds later another man-advantage goal by Brian Torrisi pulled the Raiders even 2-2.

Andover responded well to the challenge, however, as Heseniuss delivered at 12:08 and Chris Pothier added his third goal of the season 75 seconds later (13:23) with the assist to Bobby Daley.

Shawn Tardiff's goal at 8:51 of the third put CCHS back within range, at 4:3, but Daley converted the rebound of a shot by sophomore defenseman Brian Addressa just 23 seconds later.

"Daley's goal was just outright hustle," lauded Cullen. "He went to the net strongly and was in great position to punch home the rebound."

Mike Daley's 30-save effort was crucial for the Warriors, who were outshot 33-27 by Central.

Andover, 6-2

The Golden Warriors toppled weak Holliston despite themselves, surviving the post-Christmas blahs to register this un-inspired non-league victory.

"It was our worst outing of the year," admitted Cullen, "and we'll be in big-time trouble if we continue to play like we did in this one."

"It was a coach's nightmare. We just didn't skate or come to play. It happens during vacation periods like this. Too much Christmas. We didn't play with any kind of consistency. We'll take the two points but we can't be satisfied with the performance."

Andover finished with a wide 51-13 shooting edge (17-5, 16-2 and 18-6 by periods), but were still locked in a tough 3-2 struggle after two periods.

Holliston goaltender Jason Hooper, who obviously played well (45 saves), eventually tired in the final period when Doug Lottatore (3:20), Bobby Daley (11:44) and Bill Owens (13:59) managed to break it open.

Lottatore's first goal was a beauty, as he stood in perfect position near the net to complete a checkerboard passing play started by Chris Pothier and Bobby Daley.

Bobby Sheehan scored his second goal of the season to open the scoring at 9:57 of the first period, Justin Heseniuss (3-3-6 points) netted his third at 0:53 of the second, and Bobby Daley broke a 2-2 deadlock with the first of his two at 12:23 of the middle stanza.

Chris Pothier (3-3-6) passed out three assists while sophomore defenseman Paul Allard, Dan Feeley (3-3-6) and Lottatore set up two goals each. Daley (3-2-5) and Owens added single assists.

Andover JVs

The Andover junior varsity skaters dumped Chelmsford 4-1 recently with Sean Donahue and John Sullivan leading the way.

Christmas trees

Want to know what to do with your discarded Christmas tree?

In Andover, residents can recycle them on their regular recycling day beginning next week.

See page 40 for instructions.

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 13B of the General Laws, as amended that Chic-Land, Inc., d/b/a Chic-Land has applied for a transfer of the Restaurant All-Alcoholic Beverage License now held by Polar Bear Restaurant, Corp., Old River Road, Andover, Massachusetts. Jeffrey D. Katz, 81 Nardelli Road, Newton, Massachusetts, is designated as Manager.

Description of Premises: One lobby, lounge area, two dining rooms, one function room, one kitchen, one office. Restrooms, service and storage areas on first floor. One main front entrance, 6 side exits, two rear exits.

A public hearing on said application will be held on Monday, January 13, 1992, at the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlett Street, Third Floor Conference Room at 7:30 P.M. in accordance with the General Laws relating thereto.

By order of the Board of Selectmen
Randall L. Hanson
Town Clerk

January 2, 1992

Read
Rick
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sports stories
each week
in the
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Townsmen.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
Docket No. 91P2861-A-1
To all persons interested in the estate of Julie Burstein, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Joseph Glasser of Andover in the County of Essex be appointed administrator of said estate, without giving surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirteenth day of January 1992, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczek, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December 1991.

Everett C. Hudson
Register

January 2, 1992

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Andover Planning Board will convene a public hearing on Tuesday, January 14, 1992, at 8:00 p.m., in the third floor conference room, Town Office Building, Bartlett Street, Andover, on a petition by Christos Pappadopoulos for a modification of a previous decision regarding a Parking Special Permit in the General Business Zone under Section VI.A.6.h. of the Andover Zoning Bylaw on property located at 63 Park Street, Andover.

John O'Brien
Chairman

December 26, 1991;
January 2, 1992

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by William F. Harkins of Andover, Essex County to First American Bank for Savings of Boston, Suffolk County, dated February 28, 1986 and recorded with the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2139, Page 232, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for

breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday the 28th day of January, 1992 at said mortgaged premises located at 9 Selen Circle, Andover, Massachusetts. The premises described in said mortgage to wit:

The land with the buildings thereon situated in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts and being shown as Lot 4 on a plan entitled "Subdivision Plan of Land in Andover, of Selen Circle, January 6, 1983, Dana F. Perkins & Assoc., Inc., Civil Engineers and Surveyors, Owner William M. And Ruth C. Urquhart" said plan being recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 9103, and to which plan, reference may be had for a more particular description.

Lot 4 contains 30,003 square feet according to said plan. Excluding the fee in Selen Circle, however, granting to the grantee herein, his heirs, successors and assigns, the right to pass and repass over Selen Circle and to use Selen Circle for all purposes for which public ways are used in the Town of Andover, together with all others entitled thereto.

Being the same premises deeded to me by deed of Garard Welch to be recorded herewith.

TERMS OF SALE

Said premises shall be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, assessments and municipal liens. FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) DOLLARS in cash, cashiers check or by certified check will be required to be paid at the time and place of sale and the balance within twenty (20) days thereafter. Other terms to be announced at the sale. Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as Liquidating Agent for First American Bank for Savings, present holder of the Mortgage.

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Agent for First American Bank
for Savings.
By its attorney
Arthur Goldberg
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10 Union Wharf
Boston, MA 02109
(617) 742-9350

January 2, 9 & 16, 1992

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises 361 River Road Andover, Massachusetts. By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John J. Boutin to The First National Bank of Boston, A National Association dated January 30, 1986 and recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 2124, Page 126, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 P.M., on the 24th day of January, A.D. 1992, upon the mortgaged premises, 361 River Road, Andover, Massachusetts, as described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

To wit:
A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on the northwesterly side of River Road in Andover, Mass. bound and described as follows:

SOUTHEASTERLY: by River Road partly by a stone wall, 439.8 feet.

SOUTHWESTERLY: by Parcel A on Plan of Land entitled "Plan of Land in Andover, Mass." dated February 3, 1983, owners Russell G. & Sara M. Buker & Raven Realty Trust, said plan being recorded in the North Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 9123, 129.65 feet.

SOUTHWESTERLY AGAIN, BUT A LITTLE MORE WESTERLY by land of Raven Realty Trust and being the westerly boundary line of Parcel B on aforesaid Plan No. 9123, 175.26 feet.

SOUTHWESTERLY AGAIN, BUT A LITTLE MORE SOUTHERLY still by Raven Realty Trust and being the westerly bound of Parcel B on said Plan No. 9123, 144.65 feet.

WESTERLY: by a stone wall still by land of Raven Realty Trust, 59.84 feet.

NORTHWESTERLY: by Parcel C on said Plan 9123, 183.66 feet.

NORTHERLY: still by said Parcel C on said Plan 9123, 50 feet.

NORTHERLY AGAIN: by a stone wall and land now or late of J. & L. Nollet as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in Andover, Mass. belonging to Charles M. Newton" dated May 20, 1946 and recorded in said Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 1617, 220.34 feet.

EASTERLY: by land now or late of Sunderland and being a small triangular parcel and Parcel 3 as shown on a plan of land recorded in said Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 8256, 103.45 feet.

NORTHERLY AGAIN: by said Parcel 3 on Plan 8256, 125.64 feet.

Premises are conveyed subject to an easement for drainage dated April 25, 1983 and recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 1664 at Page 341 and said easement is shown on said Plan 9123.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all outstanding municipal or other public taxes, tax titles, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and existing encumbrances of record, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/100 (\$25,000.00) must be paid by certified, bank, treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser as a deposit. The balance of the purchase price is to be paid in cash, or by certified check, bank cashier's check or bank treasurer's check within 21 days thereafter at the Law Offices of Shapiro & Kreisman, 492 Old Connecticut Path, Framingham, MA 01701 (508) 872-0221.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.
Land Court Case Number 158561.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, A NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, PRESENT HOLDER OF SAID MORTGAGE
December 26, 1991; January 2 & 9, 1992.

Chet Atkins to talk about health care at area meetings

U.S. Congressman Chet Atkins, D-Concord, will hold a series of what he is calling "town hall meetings" named "Responding to the health care crisis in America and Massachusetts."

One will be held in this area on Thursday, Jan. 16, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Clark Auditorium at Lowell General Hospital, which is on Varum Avenue, Lowell.

His press release says, "The cost of getting sick gets worse with each medical bill. But how much will it cost you in the

future?

"Will you be able to pay for the care you and your family will need?"

"Congressman Chet Atkins is hosting town meetings to hear what you go through to pay for health care. He'll listen to your concerns and ideas and also lay out options for affordable health care in the future."

Other meetings will be Jan. 14 at Framingham Union Hospital and Jan. 15 at Nashoba Community Hospital in Ayer.



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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Robert P. Bland and Marlin J. Grasso, Jr., Trustees of State Forest Realty Trust, under Declaration of Trust dated February 16, 1988, recorded with the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2679, Page 303, to Amoskeag Company, dated February 28, 1991, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 3224, Page 129, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on Thursday, January 30, 1992, on the mortgaged premises situated on the southwestern side of Salem Turnpike (Route 114), across Salem Turnpike from the northernmost intersection of Berry Street and Salem Turnpike, North Andover, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

"PARCEL A"

A certain parcel of land, with all buildings and improvements located thereon, situated on the southwestern side of Salem Turnpike (Rt-114) in the Town of North Andover, County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being shown as Lot 1 on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in North Andover, Massachusetts prepared for Boston Property Equity Investment, Scale 1 inch=100 feet, December 16, 1985, revised February 11, 1988, drawn by Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. Consulting Engineers and Planners, 60 Birmingham Parkway, Boston, Massachusetts", to be recorded herewith and being further described according to said plan as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southwestern line of Salem Turnpike, twenty nine and seventy six hundredths (29.76) feet northwesterly, as measured along said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike, from a Massachusetts highway bound at station 200+00.00 as delineated on State Highway layout of 1949, said point also being the northwesterly corner of land now or formerly of N.A. Realty Trust:

Thence S 28°-29'-00" W along a stone wall bounded southwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land ninety nine and forty three hundredths (99.43) feet to a point;

Thence S 09°-26'-30" E along a stone wall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land ten and thirty one hundredths (10.31) feet to a point;

Thence S 34°-42'-30" W bounded southwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land one hundred twenty five and no hundredths (125.00) feet to a point;

Thence S 55°-17'-29" E bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land two hundred two and thirty eight hundredths (202.38) feet to a point;

Thence S 27°-28'-30" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land one hundred seventeen and sixty five hundredths (117.65) feet to a point;

Thence N 78°-23'-20" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land thirty four and ninety eight hundredths (34.98) feet to a point;

Thence N 45°-13'-00" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land seven and fifty two hundredths (7.52) feet to a point;

Thence N 23°-08'-30" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land five and sixteen hundredths (5.16) feet to a point;

Thence S 78°-56'-30" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land one hundred sixty two and seventy five hundredths (162.75) feet to a point;

Thence N 85°-45'-30" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land forty three and forty hundredths (43.40) feet to a point;

Thence N 84°-01'-10" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land thirty six and seven hundredths (36.17) feet to a point;

Thence N 74°-23'-40" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land nine and three hundredths (9.03) feet to a point;

Thence N 63°-40'-50" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said N.A. Realty Trust land one hundred forty nine and twenty five hundredths (149.25) feet to a point in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike, said point being sixty three and fifty five hundredths (63.55) feet northwesterly, as measured along said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike, from a Massachusetts highway bound, said point also being the northwesterly corner of said N.A. Realty Trust land and the northwesterly corner of land now or formerly of David B. White.

Thence S 37°-51'-21" W bounded southwesterly by said White land five hundred forty two and fifty five hundredths (542.55) feet to a point;

Thence S 52°-08'-39" E bounded northwesterly by said White land one hundred forty nine and eighty one hundredths (149.81) feet to the southeasterly corner of said White land and a point in the northwesterly line of other land now or formerly of David B. White;

Thence S 37°-51'-21" W bounded southwesterly by said other White land one hundred forty three and eighty nine hundredths (143.89) feet to a point;

Thence S 52°-08'-39" E bounded northwesterly by said other White land three hundred forty nine and ninety three hundredths (349.93) feet to a point;

Thence N 37°-51'-21" E bounded northwesterly by said other White land six hundred ninety three and eighty nine hundredths (693.89) feet to a point in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike and the northwesterly corner of said other White land;

Thence southeasterly in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike along the arc of a curve to the right having a radius of four thousand seven hundred sixty and no hundredths (4760.00) feet thirty-one and thirty four hundredths (31.34) feet to a point, said point being S 00°-59'-57" E zero and twenty three hundredths (0.23) feet from a Massachusetts highway bound;

Thence S 49°-39'-38" E in said southwesterly line of Salem

Turnpike six hundred seventy two and sixty seven hundredths (672.67) feet to the northeasterly corner of land now or formerly of Alvin Burslein and Elizabeth Schneider;

Thence S 08°-44'-15" E forty one and seventeen hundredths (41.17) feet to a point;

Thence S 01°-49'-15" E three hundred ninety one and ninety five hundredths (391.95) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 01°-31'-45" E two hundred eighty and forty seven hundredths (280.47) feet to a point, the last three (3) lines are along a stonewall and bounded northwesterly by said Burslein and Schneider land;

Thence S 02°-01'-16" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said Burslein and Schneider land and land now or formerly of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts one hundred forty two and seventy seven hundredths (142.77) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 03°-35'-35" E along a stonewall bounded northwesterly by said Commonwealth land two hundred fifty and twenty seven hundredths (250.27) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 48°-18'-05" W one hundred twelve and eighty one hundredths (112.81) feet to a point;

Thence S 32°-32'-38" W forty two and forty three hundredths (42.43) feet to a point;

Thence S 38°-51'-44" W eighty six and eighty three hundredths (86.83) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 72°-17'-44" W two hundred fifty one and twenty seven hundredths (251.27) feet to a drill hole, the last four (4) lines are along a stonewall and bounded southeasterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence N 31°-50'-26" W four hundred thirty two and fifty five hundredths (432.55) feet to a point;

Thence N 30°-09'-06" W three hundred seventy five and fifty seven hundredths (375.57) feet to a point;

Thence N 30°-06'-02" W two hundred sixty nine and forty nine hundredths (269.49) feet to a point;

Thence N 30°-42'-54" W one hundred forty four and thirty one hundredths (144.31) feet to a drill hole, the last four (4) lines are along a stonewall and bounded southwesterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence S 77°-49'-16" W eighty five and seventy five hundredths (85.75) feet to a point;

Thence N 88°-07'-34" W sixty two and fifty five hundredths (62.55) feet to a drill hole, the last two (2) lines are along a stonewall and bounded southeasterly and southwesterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence N 18°-44'-44" W three hundred seventy eight and thirty six hundredths (378.36) feet to a drill hole;

Thence N 02°-29'-26" W fifty two and fifty eight hundredths (52.58) feet to a drill hole;

Thence N 24°-44'-26" W one hundred eight and sixty five hundredths (108.65) feet to a point;

Thence N 32°-34'-16" W fifty two and seventy three hundredths (52.73) feet to a drill hole, the last four (4) lines are along a stonewall and bounded southwesterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence S 59°-33'-11" W two hundred fifty three and thirty five hundredths (253.35) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 60°-33'-31" W one hundred forty three and twenty six hundredths (143.26) feet to a point;

Thence S 77°-19'-10" W fifty five and thirty five hundredths (55.35) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 73°-25'-10" W two hundred sixty four and sixty eight hundredths (264.68) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 76°-42'-14" W eighty one and sixty eight hundredths (81.68) feet to a drill hole;

Thence S 73°-38'-57" W two hundred thirty six and forty nine hundredths (236.49) feet to a drill hole, the last six (6) lines are along a stonewall and bounded southeasterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence N 09°-45'-12" W three hundred fifty three and ninety six hundredths (353.96) feet to a drill hole;

Thence N 48°-55'-11" W eight and thirty one hundredths (8.31) feet to a drill hole;

Thence N 09°-19'-51" W seventy five and forty four hundredths (75.44) feet to a point;

Thence N 31°-00'-51" E eight and ten hundredths (8.10) feet to a point;

Thence N 09°-14'-39" W two hundred thirty seven and ninety four hundredths (237.94) feet to a drill hole;

Thence N 02°-46'-13" E four hundred twenty two and ten hundredths (422.10) feet to a point;

Thence N 08°-26'-00" W ninety eight and eighty two hundredths (98.82) feet to a point;

Thence N 05°-46'-54" E sixty five and two hundredths (65.02) feet to the southeasterly corner of land now or formerly of The Caruso Company, Inc., the last eight (8) lines are along a stone wall and bounded southwesterly and northwesterly by said Commonwealth land;

Thence N 38°-40'-02" E along a stone wall bounded northwesterly by said Caruso Company, Inc. land five hundred forty and ninety eight hundredths (540.98) feet to a point in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike and the northwesterly corner of said Caruso Company, Inc. land;

Thence S 51°-59'-45" E in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike two hundred and thirty three hundredths (200.33) feet to a point, said point being N 12°-40'-39" W zero and eight hundredths (0.08) feet from a Massachusetts Highway bound;

Thence S 55°-17'-29" E in said southwesterly line of Salem Turnpike five hundred twenty and twenty four hundredths (520.24) feet to the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 61.095 acres. Being the remaining portion conveyed to me by deed of Guy N. Richards recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1189, Page 154.

Sale will be made subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any.

Terms of Sale: \$35,000.00 in cash, certified check or bank check is to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale - balance in thirty (30) days. Other terms to be announced at sale.

Signed, Amoskeag Company, present holder of said mortgage, by its Attorney, Leonard S. Lakin, Hinkley, Allen, Snyder & Comen, One Financial Center, Boston, Massachusetts 02111-2625.

December 26, 1991; January 2, 9, 1992

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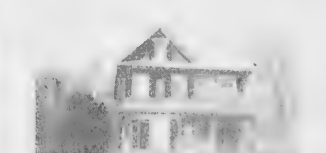
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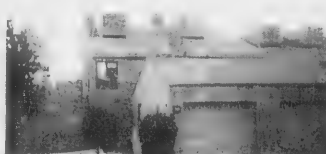
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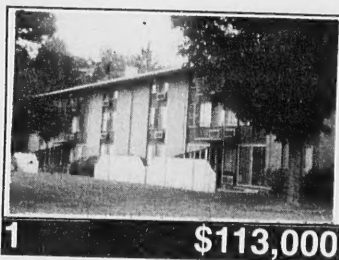
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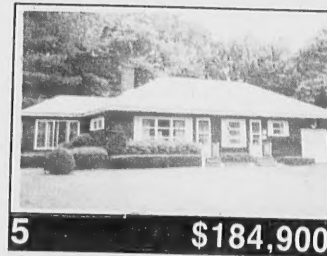
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NORTH ANDOVER



FABULOUS CUL-DE-SAC SETTING! Young, beautifully cared for Colonial located in a great area for commuters! You'll love the cabinet packed eat-in kitchen, lovely dining room with bay window, fireplace family room and 4 delightful spacious bedrooms! That's just for starters...come see the rest!!
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PERFECT INSIDE AND OUT! Eye-catching 10 room Colonial setback on almost 2 beautiful acres. Large eat-in kitchen opens to a front-to-back fireplace family room. Great California sun-room with lots of glass and a large hot tub! 3 full baths, 19' X 21' finished lower level and terrific family neighborhood!
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OUTSTANDING FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD! Young, country Colonial on a pretty acre lot offering 8 rooms, 2 1/2 baths and a 2 car garage! Spacious eat-in kitchen boasts a center island, bow window and sunny sitting area with sliders to deck! You'll love the charming family room with full brick wall and toasty fireplace! FANTASTIC VALUE!
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ANDOVER



END OF CUL-DE-SAC! Quality features abound in this 6 year young Colonial set on a wooded acre+ with kidney shaped pool! Well designed kitchen features oak cabinetry and a large eating area, formal fireplace living room, elegant dining room with detailed moldings, and tremendous fireplace family room with beamed & vaulted skylight ceiling...that's just for starters!
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PHILLIPS ACADEMY AREA! Gracious 9 room Gambrel on a pretty treed lot. Over 3,000 square feet of living space, spacious eat-in kitchen with sliders to a screened porch, charming fireplace living room, formal dining room, fireplace family room, hardwood floors and central air, too! Corporate owned and ready for immediate occupancy!
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NORTH ANDOVER - Top floor, well-maintained 2 bedroom condo. Deck off living room. Pool and tennis. Super convenient location.

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LAWRENCE - Investment opportunity! Two-family with four rooms, two bedrooms each unit plus rear cottage with three rooms. Needs some work.

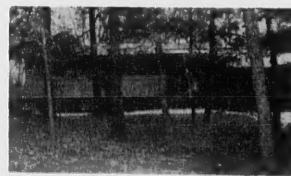
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HAVERHILL - Contemporary yet intimate feeling throughout this two bedroom townhouse. Cathedral ceilings, dramatic windows, open staircase, gas fireplace and wonderful oversized deck overlooking wooded privacy.

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BOXFORD - Great five bedroom deck house overlooking pond, but still in a family neighborhood. Fireplaced living room and family room, eat-in kitchen, screened porch, deck & more on 2+ acres.

**\$199,900**

ANDOVER - In-town, sunny colonial on quiet tree lined street. Lots of space with 3-4 bedrooms, fireplaced living room, lovely dining room with bay window. Wonderful neighborhood.

**\$349,900**

NORTH ANDOVER - Quality & care went into the construction of this exquisite 8 room colonial featuring gracious foyer, fireplaced family room, cathedral ceiling master BR with jacuzzi in private bath and amenities galore on acre+ lot. 2 points toward closing costs.

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HAVERHILL - Affordable newly redecorated cottage offering formal living room and dining room, eat-in kitchen, 3 bedrooms, enclosed porch. \$1,000 in closing costs.

**\$214,500**

HAVERHILL - Peaceful dead-end street, close to highways and shopping is the setting for this lovingly restored 9 room Victorian. Amenities too numerous to list but filled with quality. Truly a treat to view!

**\$229,900**

NORTH ANDOVER - This wonderful family home sits on a knoll back from the street on a large private lot. Updated kitchen, hardwood floors and a fabulous solar sunroom are only some of the highlights.

**\$1,300,000**

BOXFORD - Exquisitely restored historic Boxford landmark beautifully sited on 19+ acres. Center entrance colonial farmhouse offers wide pine floors, 8 fireplaces, rare "Rufus Porter" murals & Indian shutters along with full amenities.

**\$268,500**

ANDOVER - Pride of ownership is evident in this 3-4 bedroom Cape/Ranch on one acre lot of beautiful mature plantings. New roof. Located near major roads and town center.

**\$99,900**

METHUEN - Pretty colonial with full front porch and easy maintenance with vinyl siding. Four nice size bedrooms, private yard and parking for three cars. Super value!

**\$154,900**

SOUTH LAWRENCE - Well maintained, owner occupied 2 family with in-law potential in super location! Great yard, detached two car garage, gazebo, and many extras.

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ANDOVER - Builder customized oversized unit with 2 fireplaces, cherry cabinets, marble foyer, possible 5 room in-law with private entrance. This 12 room townhouse is full of upgrades! A delight to see!

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Mooers . . .

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But the chief said he was as surprised as anybody by the lieutenant's quick decision to leave.

"I was home and he came by the house to tell me," the chief said. "He said, 'I put my papers in,'" Chief Johnson said.

Buzz Stapczynski, town manager, would not elaborate on the reason, or reasons, for Lt. Mooers' retirement.

"I know some of the circumstances, but for the record, I would not want to say," Mr. Stapczynski said.

The manager commended the lieutenant for his years of service here.

"He was a fine officer. For the 22 or 23 years, he's done a great job and I'm sorry to see him go," Mr. Stapczynski said. "I wish him well in his future endeavors."

James Barenboim, a member of the Board of Selectmen who keeps close ties to the department, said he did not know why the lieutenant decided to leave so suddenly.

"It's the best-kept secret in town," Mr. Barenboim said last week.

Lt. Mooers went to town offices to check on his retirement benefits before he gave word of his retirement on Dec. 17. He is eligible for a pension, although the amount of his benefits was not released by town officials.

Lt. Mooers' position will not be filled because of budget cuts, according to Chief Johnson. Instead, his responsibilities will be absorbed by the six other lieutenants.

Lt. Mooers was paid \$84,340.64 in calendar year 1990. He was paid a salary of \$61,163.79, plus \$20,021.17 in overtime and \$3,276.61 for police details. 23 years

Lt. Mooers' most recent position was division commander of special services for the department, overseeing civilian employees and reporting to the chief. He was one of three division commanders. Lt. Phillip Froburg is commander of the operations and Lt. John Houlihan is in charge of the detective division.

Lt. Mooers started with the department as a reserve officer in 1968. He was hired on a permanent basis in March, 1969.

He moved into the detective section around 1970 and was trained in fingerprint techniques and photography, according to Chief Johnson. He remained in detectives 18 years.

He became acting sergeant in March, 1981, and permanent sergeant in October of that year. He was promoted to lieutenant in February of 1983.

Lt. Mooers was solely responsible for getting the department accredited three years ago, according to the chief. "He did all the work by himself," Chief Johnson said.

Lt. Mooers lives in Hampton, N.H., and could not be reached for comment.



Lt. Donald Mooers

Recycling Christmas trees

The town of Andover is conducting a curbside pickup of Christmas trees on designated recycling routes from Jan. 6 through Jan. 17.

Residents may discard their trees, free of stands, lights and ornaments, before 7 a.m. on their designated recycling days during the two-week period beginning Monday, Jan. 6, and ending Friday, Jan. 17.

Trees should be placed at curbside near residents' blue recycling bins. Whole trees are preferable to cut-up

trees.

Officials ask residents not to bag or box trees.

If trees are set out in advance of the pick-up day, residents are asked to place them where they will not be blown and also will not block walkways or roads.

If trees are set out before the pick-up date and they become covered with snow, residents are asked to uncover them. For further information, call public works, 475-6980.

Keeping mold out of West

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ly so that the flow of air does not reverse and mold infiltrates the air ducts.

- All the deodorizers at the school should be removed. According to the consultant, many people are allergic to them.

- All the "wetted" (a type of porous material) ceiling tiles should be replaced because they are ideal for mold growth.

- The leaks in the basement should be sealed to eliminate the mold problem at its source.

- Each supply and exhaust louver in the school should be checked on a monthly basis to ensure that they are working properly.

- Any moisture in the basement should be cleaned up as soon as it is observed. A custodian should tour the basement daily. A wet vacuum cleaner or a mop is sufficient to do the job.

Town watchdog salaries . . .

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Gail Ralston completed her term last March and Larry Larsen was elected to fill the open spot on the board.

Liz Kochakian, clerk at the fire department, takes the minutes of the

meetings for selectmen.

James D. Doherty, town moderator, is paid \$125 for the annual Town Meeting. He was paid \$25 for a Special Town Meeting in 1990. The special town meeting pay for the moderator was increased this year to \$30.

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